

The Weather
Oakland, vicinity, Santa Clara, Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys—clouds, possibly showers tonight or Tuesday day; cooler tonight; moderate northwest wind.

MEXICAN ACCUSES AMERICAN SOLDIERS

Mayor of Ascension Says That Troops at Casas Grandes Committed Depredation There

30,000 CARRANZA MEN ON WAY TO LINE

Washington Officials of Opinion Force Is Far Greater Than Needed to Pursue Bandits

EL PASO, May 23.—Complaint against the action of American troops at Ascension in the Casas Grandes district, was received by General Gavira in Juarez today in a telegram from the mayor of the town. The mayor charged the Americans with committing depredations, these consisting of throwing up fortifications on the property they had occupied, he said.

He charged also that General Pershing's men were coming into the town in violation of the agreement between the Carranza and Washington government. He said the attitude of the foreigners was distinctly hostile to the Carranza government, inasmuch as it was unnecessary in view of Mexican co-operation for the Americans to fortify themselves. General Gavira transmitted the complaint to General Jalcintin Trevino at Chihuahua.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Thirty thousand Mexican troops, 20,000 more than General Obregon promised to have distributed, are marching northward from Saltillo, Durango and elsewhere, according to State Department information today.

Officials here were inclined today to anticipate a further delay by General Carranza in despatching his new force regarding the border situation. Official announcement that Colonel Shibley's expedition had returned was expected to lead to alterations in the communication as demonstrating the purpose of the United States government to be only policing the border region.

MEXICO CITY, May 23.—While no authority has yet been granted to correspondents to cable the nature of the new note to the United States Government, this fact can be stated. It is officially claimed here that the sending of additional troops into Mexico by the United States is a violation of the agreement between Minister of War Obregon and General Scott.

It is said that the United States General Scott, promised Obregon no new force would enter Mexico until the termination of diplomatic negotiations.

General Obregon refuses to make a statement, but it is openly charged here that the United States has broken faith.

WHAT THE PRINCIPALS SAY

I can prove as a result of personal observation of the superintendent's work during the past year that he is absolutely unqualified to assume control. I have suggested that Mr. Vail could reduce his gasoline account by using his head to better advantage and his automobile less. I further wish to state that I hold Mr. Probst, as chairman, responsible for the conditions as they exist today.—Mrs. Eileen Allen.

I can only say that the playgrounds speak for themselves. They have never accommodated so many people and have never been in so good a condition.—E. J. Probst.

If in the judgment of members of the commission such a course would be expedient, I shall gladly court an investigation if done by a qualified expert. My past and present are an open book, the pages of which anyone may turn to.—E. M. Vail.



MRS. EILEEN ALLEN, MEMBER OF RECREATION COMMISSION, WHO FILED RESOLUTION CRITICIZING HEAD.

CLASSMATES OF ORPET VOTE ON HIS INNOCENCE

Poll of Senior Class Show 189 to 12 Believe Him "Not Guilty."

WAUKESHA, Wis., May 23.—A poll of the senior class of the high school which Marian Lambert attended today showed a belief in the innocence of William H. Orpet, accused of murdering her.

The vote for not guilty was 170 boys and 19 girls. Four boys and eight girls voted guilty. Those who were undecided numbered eight, one boy and seven girls. None favored the death penalty.

Judge Charles H. Donnelly, sitting in the Orpet case, presided. What the jury would be completed before adjournment today. Eight men were in the jury box when court opened today.

Celestia Youker, the girl to whom Orpet was said to have been attentive yesterday asserted her belief in his innocence.

It was rumored that the bottle alleged by the state to be the container in which Orpet carried poison to the girl was in the possession of the prosecution. The sheriff and Attorney Dady refused to discuss the report.

L.A. WOMAN IN RACE FOR HEAD OF FEDERATION

Delegations From California and Ohio Campaigning for Two Candidates.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Among 20,000 women, one lone man, H. T. Smith, a lawyer of Fulton, Ky., husband of the president of the Fortnightly Club will sit as an alternate delegate in the National Federation of Women's Clubs' convention here.

"Get your life I'll attend all meetings and receptions just as if I were a skirt," he said.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The busiest of several thousand women here to attend the thirteenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs are the rival candidates for the presidency, Mrs. Samuel Seasholtz of Tiffin, Ohio, and Mrs. Josiah Vance Cowles of Los Angeles and their campaign workers. The election will take place on May 30 and the delegates from California and Ohio will devote the next week to active campaigning.

Judging from the claims of the rival delegations the contest for the presidency will line up the East against the West. Mrs. Seasholtz's friends say they are sure of most of the Middle Western and Southern states, while all the Pacific coast and Rocky mountain delegations are claimed by the followers of Mrs. Cowles. The Atlantic coast delegates have not declared themselves, however, and their votes probably will decide the contest.

PLAYGROUND CONDUCT IS CONDEMNED

Board Member Accuses Superintendent in Resolution

Mrs. Allen Says Illegal Means Used, Asserts Probst Helped

ALAMEDA, May 23.—Alleging illegal procedure in conducting the affairs of the recreation commission, and accusing Playground Superintendent E. M. Vail of irregular, arbitrary and questionable acts, Mrs. Eileen Allen, member of the recreation board, filed today with the commission a voluminous statement containing charges against Vail and also accusing President E. J. Probst of the commission with sustaining Vail and the commission in illegal and irregular acts.

The resolution adopted by the commission on April 5, which barred Mrs. Allen from a direct hand in the management of the playgrounds, is declared by Mrs. Allen to be illegal, as well as uncalled for and unwarranted. Mrs. Allen declares that the resolution violates the ordinance under which the recreation commission was created and under which it operates.

Mrs. Allen accuses Vail of leaving Alameda for a week at "a certain springs" without leaving adequate provision for the carrying on of his work in his absence. Vail is further charged with not arriving at his office in the city hall for the first five months of his work until noon, instead of appearing in the morning.

Vail's purchase of twelve sweaters for a baseball team is questioned. Regarding the playground supervisors to appear in bloomers is another charge Mrs. Allen makes against Vail. Mrs. Allen declares the bloomers of the supervisors caused the wearers to become objects of ridicule and subjected the playground department to public criticism.

Vail's privately owned auto, comes within range of Mrs. Allen's charges. In an indirect way she accuses Vail of making trips to springs and to Redwood Peak on gasoline supplied by the city. In this connection Mrs. Allen says: "I have suggested that Mr. Vail could reduce his gasoline expense account by using his head to better advantage and his automobile less."

PICNICERS CAROUSE

Beer drinking in Washington park by picnickers; dressing and undressing on the beach by bathers while young children are looking on, and a general untidiness in the appearance of the playgrounds, are alleged to be some of the things which Superintendent Vail could look after and stop, and which, the commissioner says, he has failed to do.

At the meeting of April 3 smoldering fires in the department broke out. Commissioner A. F. Heuer, then a councilman and commissioner, introduced a resolution giving the superintendent control of the playgrounds and making him subordinate, only to President Probst. Mrs. Allen strongly objected to the resolution, declaring it was a personal affront and insult. She later said there was not a proper ballot taken when a vote was called for councilman Heuer has since resigned. His place was taken by Councilman Leo Smith, newly appointed to fill the Heuer vacancy. Councilman Smith has not yet met with the recreation commission. The recreation commission is composed of Councilman E. J. Probst, president; William Hammond Jr., Leo Smith, Mrs. S. J. Ackerman and Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. Allen's Charges

"I wish to call your attention to the fact that more money is being expended at the present time on the upkeep of Alameda's playgrounds than ever before in their history. Increased number of employees, higher salaries, all of which I have advised against, are being paid for the children and the progress and development of the playgrounds. The superintendent, however, has failed to establish a system which would justify the increased expenditures, and the members of the board are, in my judgment, assuming a grave responsibility in adopting a resolution which would place the superintendent under the control of the playgrounds, when I can prove, as a result of personal observation of the superintendent's work during the last year, that he is absolutely unqualified to assume such control, but should at all times be subject to the mature judgment of those who have both experience and knowledge of the work."

"That within a period of three to five months after Vail's arrival in Alameda, he left his position on plea of illness to take an automobile trip to some certain springs, without making due provision to carry on his work during his absence. The only provision made was to place one of the play supervisors in the City Hall at an hour when she was required to be on duty in the playgrounds. He further requested the play supervisor to make no mention to me of his absence and by so doing made it possible to establish deception on the part of employees. It was only after requesting the play supervisor to explain why she was not in her playground at that hour that she admitted this fact to me."

"Also that during the month of January, 1916, the superintendent, without bringing the matter to the attention of the recreation commission, gave a reception for the delegates to this afternoon at his home in West Orange, N. J., and later the visiting

BERKELEY READY FOR CELEBRATION

City, 50 Years Old, Will Have Big Jubilee Tomorrow

Pageant, Games, Dances, Speeches and Parade Planned

BERKELEY, May 23.—Having reached the venerable age of fifty years and being now quite out of her awarding clothes, Berkeley will celebrate her birthday tomorrow with parade and pageant, speeches and Liberty Pole dedication, games and contests and exhibition drills, luncheon, supper and ball. The whole day, from early forenoon until midnight, is to be given over to glad revelry, business being laid aside for the time by holiday proclamation of Mayor Samuel C. Irving.

Finishing touches were put upon the preparations today. Final orders for the parade were issued by Grand Marshal Winfield S. Schmidt. All over the city lodges, clubs and individuals were completing the decorating of automobiles and floats. Final entries were received during today for the contest on Shattuck avenue tomorrow afternoon. The members of the East Sides and West Sides, whose ball game at California Field will help swell the building fund of the Berkeley dispensary, held their final practice.

THE WHOLE CITY CO-OPERATES. The whole city has entered with notable co-operation into preparation for the celebration. The list of merchants who will obey the holiday proclamation by closing their places of business was completed today and includes the name of every important establishment in the city. Oakland has promised to send a large delegation of visitors, including two score or more automobiles, to participate in the morning parade. Committees of the Chamber of Commerce, which is conducting the celebration, will take every pains to make all out of town visitors welcome.

Winfield S. C. Schmidt, marshal of the parade, has given notice that, he expects participants in the procession to be at the appointed places by 4:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Music will be supplied by the Fifth Regiment Military Band and the Berkeley High School Band.

The Oakland Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon sent word that members of that organization will appear in the parade in decorated automobiles. They will be assigned to a place of honor in Division F.

CHILDREN TO SING

An interesting feature of the observances will be the singing of "America" by 1000 school children directed by Miss Victorine Hartley.

The raising of the flag will be accompanied by music by the city band. The parade will be headed by a squad from Company C of the National Guard of California, Lieutenant D. A. Daly, commanding. Company C, drawn up in "company front," will present arms. Members of the Grand Army of the Republic will attend as a guest of honor.

Prior to this dedication of the flag the invocation will be pronounced by the Rev. Dr. Edward L. Parsons.

Charles D. Heywood, president of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, will act as master of ceremonies. The parade will be headed by the Fifth Regiment band, singing by the Berkeley Oratorio Society and addresses by Mayor S. C. Irving, Miss Blanche Morse and Professor Ira Woods Howarth of the University of California.

An elimination drill by enlisted men of Company C, N. G., for a valuable gold badge, the gift of former President Thomas H. Fallon of the Chamber of Commerce, will conclude the morning's program.

GAMES IN AFTERNOON

In the afternoon there will be many games, races and contests on Shattuck avenue between Alston way

HOW BERKELEY WILL CELEBRATE

Procession of floats, automobiles and footmen, forming at 9:30 a. m. and moving past reviewing stand at Center and Shattuck at 10 a. m. Literary exercises and dedication of liberty pole, Professor I. W. Howarth chief speaker, reviewing stand at 11 a. m. Jubilee Luncheon at hotels and clubs, 12 m. Pageant and games before reviewing stand, 1:30 to 5 p. m. Baseball game, California Field, between east and west of Shattuck, merchants, officials and professional men, 3 p. m. Jubilee dinners at hotels and clubs, 6 p. m. Exhibition drills before reviewing stand by Patriarchs Militant at 8:30 p. m. and California Greys at 9 p. m. Jubilee balls at hotels and halls; reception at Hotel Shattuck, 9 p. m.

AUSTRIAN DRIVE CONTINUES TO MAKE ADVANCE

Whole Tyrol Front Is Scene of Most Desperate Fighting.

VIENNA, May 23.—Italian troops have evacuated their positions at Bozgo before the Austrian advance. It was officially announced today.

GENEVA, May 23.—Despite desperate resistance the Austrian armies today are steadily pressing forward against Vienna. On the first anniversary of Rome's war declaration, Austrian artillery is bombarding the snow-capped peak of Monte Pasubio, twenty-one miles northwest of Vicenza. This summit bars the northern entrance into the valley.

The whole Tyrol front is the scene of most desperate fighting. South of Rovereto the Italians are making a heroic stand near Sereviale while their guns mounted on Monte Baldo shell the attackers.

Southeast of Rovereto the Austrians crossed into Italian territory at three places. Rome reports bloody fighting in this region, of a see-saw character, first, one side and then the other reaching the border. Rome expresses confidence in the result of the conflict.

It is believed in Rome that the Austrians' drive southward was intended to divert the Italians from an offensive on the Isonzo line and that the Austrians' losses have been heavy enough to force an abandonment of their offensive.

ROME, May 23.—The Austrians have transferred to the Italian front a number of 321 and 450 millimeter guns. The latter cannot have been taken from the battleships which have been bottled up in the harbor of Pola since the beginning of the war.

The detonations of these enormous cannon seem to actually split the Alpine peaks, causing frequent avalanches. But in spite of the terrific bombardment which is going on day and night and the reckless expenditure of ammunition by the Austrians their further advance seems impossible in view of the positions which the Italians hold.

Conf Zuzana, peak 6000 feet high, which dominates Rovereto and the Arza valley, is strongly held by the Italians. In the high plateau of Arstero the Austrians occupy only the peak of Spitz Tonzetta, 5000 feet high. All the surrounding hills, mountains and the banks of the Adige are held by the Italians.

The greatest effort, apparently, is directed now against the Asiago plateau, to the east of Arstero, where desperate fighting is going on.

Premier Asquith Asks for \$1,500,000,000 More

LONDON, May 23.—Premier Asquith this afternoon moved in the House of Commons for a war credit of £200,000,000, or \$1,500,000,000. This brings the total war credit to \$11,900,000,000. Asquith declared that without loans from Great Britain the allies would be unable to continue their operations. Great Britain cannot hope at this time to diminish its loans to the allies, he said, and it would be unwise to count on British expenditures falling below \$2,500,000,000 daily. The expenditures now amount to \$2,500,000,000 daily.

German Casualty List Reported in Arrears

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, May 23.—Confirmation of reports that the German casualty lists are so far in arrears that their total as issued from time to time is in nowise representative, is declared now to have been supplied. It is now known that the names of Germans taken prisoner and left dead in the trenches at the battle of Loos in September last have only just been published as among the German missing.

DOUAUMONT REGAINED BY FRENCH IS CLAIM

Germans Suffer Worst of All Reverses Since Crown Prince Started Campaign of Verdun

INFANTRY LOCKED IN DEATH STRUGGLE

Only Teuton Gain Said to Have Been Against British Near Vimy Ridge, and at Meuse

PARIS, May 23.—After all-night fighting of great fury, French troops expelled Germans from all except the northeastern corner of Fort Douaumont, it is officially announced today. This is one of the greatest victories of the Verdun campaign.

All Paris is celebrating the triumph. It was declared by the war office that French soldiers re-entered Fort Douaumont after storming German positions along a mile and a quarter front.

News of the French victory was partly offset by word of British reverses near Vimy ridge. The Bavarians there thrust back the British lines to remove the threat against their holdings which has existed since the British took the offensive.

FOUNDED TO DUST

Hand-to-hand fighting has continued along every foot of the Verdun front since Saturday. The slaughter along the hills northwest of Verdun is growing deadlier every hour. Trenches have been pounded to dust. Infantry are locked in bayonet struggles to death. The most intense battling is at Hill 304. Deadman Hill and connecting positions west of the Meuse.

Heavy German charges on both sides of the Meuse were repulsed, except north of Thiaumont farm, on the east bank, where Teutons gained entrance to a trench recently seized by the French.

When today's official communique was issued the conflict was growing more terrific every minute following one of the bloodiest nights in the history of Europe.

Amid the ruins of Douaumont German detachments were still offering heroic resistance. With bayonets, hand-grenades, trench mines and clubbed muskets, soldiers fought individually there, refusing to retreat and dying where they crouched. In the meantime the French engineers were busy strengthening their hard-won gains, expecting violent counterattacks.

SPECTACULAR EPISODE

One of the most spectacular episodes occurred on the west bank of the Meuse, where, shielded by a dense cloud of poison gas, behind a screen of liquid fire, the Germans advanced by a brilliant charge and entered a French trench. Hundreds of Frenchmen, wearing gas masks and clothing to protect them against the flames, rushed in their bombproof until the trench was filled with them. Then they dashed out in the midst of the Germans' cheers, killed many and ejected all survivors from the works.

East of Hill 304, German bugles sounded a charge in force and a wedge-shaped column of men ran toward the French, intending to drive them back and outflank one detachment holding an important position. Word of the attempt was immediately telephoned to the massed batteries of "seventy-fives" in the rear.

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A Personal Word

The leadership of The TRIBUNE in the matter of Circulation and Advertising in the east bay cities is because of its constant effort to maintain a great home circulation—and because of this highly desirable class of circulation it has earned its leadership in an advertising way also.

KAISER PREPARES FOR BUSINESS WAR

Appointment of Dr. Helfferich as Interior Secretary Is Significant.

LONDON, May 23.—Dr. Karl Helfferich has been appointed secretary of the interior, with the added honor of a deputyship in the office of the imperial chancellor. This official announcement is made, and also that Count von Roeder, formerly secretary of state and governor of Alsace-Lorraine, will succeed Dr. Helfferich as secretary of the imperial treasury.

LONDON, May 23.—The Daily Mail says Dr. Helfferich's transfer to the ministry of the interior is an important step in the far-sighted German preparation for commercial war to follow peace, adding:

"As Germany's after-the-war trade returns will be incomparably the greatest problem to be solved in Berlin, the Kaiser has decided to place a professional business man in charge, who will be expected to invent ways and means of regaining the 50,000,000 pounds sterling export trade which Germany enjoyed before the present conflict. For the first time in the history of the German civil service, a practical business man instead of a bureaucratic politician is to be its chieftain."



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PEACE LEAGUE TO HEAR WILSON TALK

President to Address Members of Society and Discuss Future.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—President Wilson is working on his address to be delivered Saturday morning at the meeting of the League to Enforce Peace. He is confronted by a most difficult task. Strong pressure is being brought on Americans to have the President outline some definite peace plan. On the other hand, Premier Briand's declaration that there will be no peace until the allies win decisively indicates that the entente powers do not desire to talk peace now.

In consequence, the President will probably content himself with notifying the world that he is ready to open channels for peace talk whenever the belligerent nations are ready. He will also discuss how peace is to be preserved after the war.

Wilson is going to New York tomorrow for the wedding of his physician, Dr. Gary Grayson.

Cummins Unopposed on S. Dakota Ballot

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., May 23.—The name of Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa appears unopposed on the Republican presidential preference primary ballot in South Dakota today. Other names, however, may be written on the ballot by the voters.

A warm contest has centered about selection of delegates to the national convention. Hanns Demuth, candidate for delegate from the First Congressional District, who declared he would not vote for Theodore Roosevelt, should his name come before the convention, is being opposed solely for that reason, it is said, by Colonel Melvin Griggs, commander of the "Rough Rider" regiment at the time Roosevelt commanded a cowboy regiment.

The campaign for Republican nomination for governor has been exceedingly bitter. The candidates are: Lieutenant Governor Peter Norbeck of Redfield, R. G. Richards of Huron, and G. W. Egan of Sioux Falls. Orville Rinehart of Rapid City and Ed Marcom of Sioux Falls are contestants for the Democratic nomination for governor.

Montana Governor Is Again Candidate

HELENA, Mont., May 23.—Governor Samuel V. Stewart yesterday filed a declaration of candidacy to succeed himself and asked that after his name on the Democratic ballot at the August primaries there be printed these words: "I submit my record for approval by the people of Montana."

Kansas Progressives in Topeka Session

TOPEKA, Kan., May 23.—The state convention of the progressive party opened here today to choose two delegates-at-large to the national convention of the party at Chicago and ratify the choice of the Congressional districts.

T. R. ON STAND IN RIGGS BANK CASE

Tells Court That He Has High Opinion of Banker Glover.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt enjoyed himself to the full today when he testified in Justice Giddons' Court as a character witness for Charles C. Glover, president of the Riggs National Bank, who is accused by the government of perjury in connection with an affidavit made by his bank.

The colonel was in court before either judge or jury arrived. Mrs. Alice Longworth, his daughter, accompanied him. The courtroom was packed. Glover greeted Roosevelt as he walked inside the rail and greeted Glover. The applause continued until Justice Giddons entered, with the colonel apparently appreciating it.

Attorney Stanchfield put the former president on the stand immediately. He gave his occupation as a writer and said that in the campaign of 1912 Glover was against him, favoring either Wilson or Taft.

"Glover is absolutely the highest man in Washington from a standpoint of integrity and general knowledge," he asserted. Roosevelt said that he and his children used the Riggs bank.

When lawyers for the opposition introduced objections to certain questions the colonel glared at them. He also glared the judge when the objections were sustained.

Colonel Roosevelt said he had known Mr. Glover since 1883, that he had had business and social relations with the banker while civil service commissioner, assistant secretary of the navy, vice-president and president. Mr. Glover's general character and standing in the District of Columbia, he added, were of the highest. Colonel Roosevelt said he had come to Washington voluntarily to testify in the case.

Thousands Apply for Seats at Convention

WASHINGTON, May 23.—More than 25,000 applications have been received for ten or eleven thousand seats that will be available in the St. Louis convention hall for the Democratic-national convention. This will be one of the problems to be considered by the national committee's sub-committee headed by Chairman McComb, which meets in St. Louis June 2.

"Silent" Sham Battle Moves Hand of Law

NEW YORK, May 23.—Declaring that the "silent" sham battle staged Sunday by the New York city national guard at Sheepshead Bay speedily violated the Sunday observance law, the Kings County Sunday Observance Association yesterday began court proceedings in the Coner Island court against those directing the military tournament and obtained seven summonses against officials and employees of the speedway corporation.

The association also will proceed, it was said, against Major General Olynthus S. Shreve, who held that his order banning the firing of guns during the exhibition battle did not excuse him from blame. The association contended that the very presence of the militia at the speedway on Sunday was a clear violation of the law.

COMPLETE WANAMAKER'S HANGAR

NORFOLK, Va., May 23.—A large hangar to house Rodman Wanamaker's big airship, the America, which will begin tests here soon preliminary to an attempt to cross the Atlantic, was completed yesterday at the Atlantic Coast Aeronautical Station. Officials say the trans-Atlantic flight probably would be started in October or November.

NEW WAY TO RULE WARS

NEW YORK, May 23.—Speaking on industrial efficiency at Economic Club dinner last night, Edward E. Conlin, mechanical engineer and member of the naval consulting board, declared that the wars of the future will be won, not by armies and navies, but by the industries back of them. "Warfare, then, he said, would resolve itself into a question of the ability of every man, woman and child in the country, to prepare himself in principle of industrial preparedness. He said to bring the industries into play without delay in an emergency. As an instance of industrial unpreparedness the speaker cited England where he declared "there are millions of men who are drilling with dummy guns, not one man in ten of the reserve force having an up-to-date rifle, because American manufacturers are behind in supplying orders."

Glynn Starts Work on Administration Speech

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Work on putting into words the speech upon which the administration plans to conduct the Presidential campaign has started in earnest. Former Governor Glynn of New York, who as temporary chairman of the St. Louis convention will deliver the keynote address, has tentatively prepared his speech and it will be submitted soon to President Wilson. The general outlines of the Democratic platform have also been agreed upon.

Suffrage for Porto Rico Is Denied

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The House struck from the Porto Rican bill today by a vote of 40 to 39 an amendment designed to grant woman suffrage to the islands. The bill then passed without roll call, virtually as introduced.

The vote on the amendment showed a complete disregard of party lines, though more Democrats than Republicans voted against it. It was inserted in the bill, by minority leader, Mann.

Representatives of suffrage organizations who had made no attempt to have the amendment inserted in the bill were out in force in the galleries and showed disappointment over the failure of the proposal.

Estabrook Closes His Campaign Quarters

CHICAGO, May 23.—Henry Estabrook, New York lawyer and prominent candidate for the presidency in the Minnesota and Nebraska primaries, today closed his campaign headquarters at the Congress hotel without explanation. Senator DuPont took rooms there today.

Secretary Reynolds of the Republicans received word today of several more contests in the Alabama delegation, making a total of 54. Chairman Hill of the G. O. P. national committee, has not yet arrived. He is expected tomorrow.

Hughes Is Leader in Preference Vote

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 23.—Official returns given out last night by the secretary of state on the result of the presidential preference primary held in this state May 16 show that Justice Hughes led the Republican ticket with 6499 votes. Colonel Roosevelt received 1831 votes on the Republican ticket and 1413 on the Progressive party ticket.

Governor McCall of Massachusetts had 151 votes. Elihu Root 150, Henry Ford 34 and Senator John W. Weeks of Massachusetts 28.

On the Democratic ticket President Wilson received 3711 votes and Speaker Clark 21.

Hughes Boom In Missouri

Delegates at St. Louis Express Choice

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—That sentiment for Justice Charles E. Hughes is strong in Missouri was evident today when the Republican delegation to the national convention in Chicago next month met here.

NEW MAIL NOTE OFF TO ENGLAND

President Forwards Draft to State Department for Transmission.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—President Wilson sent to the State Department today the completed draft of the new note to Great Britain protesting against interference with American mails. It was not laid before the cabinet but its general terms were explained. The note will be sent to London immediately and it is believed that a duplicate will go to the French government.

The communication is largely legal in character. It closes with instructions to Ambassador Page to renew vigorously complaints already made by the United States. The discussion relates to the practice of British cruisers holding up American mails carried in neutral vessels and taking them to English ports where the letters are subjected to censorship. His practice is outside the pale of international law, the president's note charges.

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The arrangements committee will select the temporary and permanent chairmen of the convention. Former Governor Martin H. Glynn of New York already is slated for the temporary chairmanship. It is understood that Speaker Champ Clark will be asked to become permanent chairman in spite of the present plan of keeping Congress continuously in session throughout the convention, and that until the Speaker indicated whether he will serve, no one else will be considered.

Regulars Defeat United by 37,683

SACRAMENTO, May 23.—The regular Republican delegation to the national convention at Chicago defeated the United Republicans in the presidential primary election May 2 by 37,683 on the top of the ticket, and by 41,844 at the bottom. This is a decisive victory for the regulars in the office of Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan.

Judge Walter Bordwell headed the regulars and received a total of 137,836 votes, while Robert N. Bullis, head man on the United Republican ticket, received 95,159 votes in the entire state.

At the bottom of the list for the regulars was Charles C. Chapman. His total was 130,475, while D. C. Collier at the bottom of the United Republican delegation of 55, received 38,651.

Methodists Debate Over Book Concern

SARATOGA SPRINGS, May 23.—A protracted debate over the management of the Methodist book concern was opened at today's session of the general conference following the submission of a committee report recommending the continuance of all the periodicals now published under church auspices.

The minority requested the conference to adopt a plan for combining several of these papers into four, to be published at New York, Chicago, San Francisco and Portland, Oregon. A loss of nearly \$280,000 was incurred during the last year according to figures offered to the conference.

Rev. Alexander P. Chamber of Birmingham, Ala., was a strong missionary for the plan. He said that the second ballot by virtually a unanimous vote. He is president of Central Alabama College at Birmingham.

Ad. Bureau Has Theatrical Lunch

Members of the advertising bureau were entertained today at a "theatrical luncheon" at the Commercial Club grill, when the program was furnished by Ed T. Dillon and Will King and their musical comedy company. This is the last Advertising Bureau luncheon before the trip to Spokane for the Ad Men's convention.

Paying Dividend.

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PARTY FORCES AT DALLAS GATHER

Republicans, Progressives and Democrats in State Session.

DALLAS, Tex., May 23.—Democratic, Republican and Progressive parties of Texas were holding their state conventions simultaneously today, each having in addition to the routine of selecting delegates to their respective national conventions, other projects of more or less importance to themselves.

Interest was centered in the Democratic convention held in San Antonio. Polling 250,000, or more, two-thirds of the state's votes, this party is dominating. The Democrats will elect, at the San Antonio convention a national committeeman, thirty-two district delegates to the national convention and eight delegates-at-large.

Four presidential electors also will be nominated then, their names to be placed on the Democratic primary ballot on July 22. Numerous questions of state interest, particularly discussion of Texas new election laws, also were scheduled to come before the convention.

The Progressive party held its convention in Waco. This party will nominate four presidential electors and elect twenty-four delegates to the national convention, based on one for each of the sixteen congressional districts; and two for each United States senator and representative-at-large.

Republicans were holding their convention in Fort Worth, with practically the same business before them as the Progressives. They are to nominate four electors, and elect twenty-six delegates to the national convention, having two more than the Progressives.

Attempts to effect a fusion between the Progressive and Republican leaders have prevailed for the past two years, were brought to an end by the death early in April of Cecil A. Lyon, Progressive national committeeman from Texas. Several "get-together" meetings between Republicans and Progressive leaders were held at various times, but when the movement was reaching a climax Mr. Lyon's illness halted proceedings.

U. S. Peace Efforts Denied by Lansing

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Secretary Lansing is authority for the statement that the recent reports and rumors regarding peace and alleged efforts by this government to bring about a settlement of the terrible European conflict are without foundation.

Lansing says there has been no appeal from Pope Benedict to President Wilson, no overture from the British ambassador, and no effort on the part of J. Pierpont Morgan, who recently visited Washington on his yacht, to bring about peace negotiations. Lansing adds, somewhat significantly:

"The source of all this false information is traceable to a certain propaganda about which I am not in ignorance." Just what he meant by this statement he would not explain, but told the newspaperman that those of their readers who had intelligence would experience no difficulty in understanding to what he referred. It is learned that information from the diplomatic representatives of the United States in all the capitals of the belligerents agrees that at present all peace discussion is "unthinkable." It is perfectly evident that Secretary Lansing regards the present prospects of peace as anything but encouraging.

Methodists Debate Over Book Concern

SARATOGA SPRINGS, May 23.—A protracted debate over the management of the Methodist book concern was opened at today's session of the general conference following the submission of a committee report recommending the continuance of all the periodicals now published under church auspices.

The minority requested the conference to adopt a plan for combining several of these papers into four, to be published at New York, Chicago, San Francisco and Portland, Oregon. A loss of nearly \$280,000 was incurred during the last year according to figures offered to the conference.

Rev. Alexander P. Chamber of Birmingham, Ala., was a strong missionary for the plan. He said that the second ballot by virtually a unanimous vote. He is president of Central Alabama College at Birmingham.

Ad. Bureau Has Theatrical Lunch

Members of the advertising bureau were entertained today at a "theatrical luncheon" at the Commercial Club grill, when the program was furnished by Ed T. Dillon and Will King and their musical comedy company. This is the last Advertising Bureau luncheon before the trip to Spokane for the Ad Men's convention.

Paying Dividend.

All parties having claims against Union National Bank will please call at Receiver's Office, 425 First National Bank Building, Oakland, and receipt for dividend check for 10%.

EDWARD S. MUNFORD, Receiver.

Portland Police Are Baffled at Mystery

PORTLAND, Ore., May 23.—The man held in jail at Astoria is not Fred Reitman, missing Jimmy driver in the Jennings murder mystery, it was learned today. Detectives were no nearer a solution of the murder today than when the body of Mrs. Helen C. Jennings was found in bed with her skull crushed by a sledge hammer, a week ago. Bennett Thompson is held in jail at Hillsboro, but evidence connecting him with the crime is weak.

Reitman, who drove the supposed murderer to Mrs. Jennings' home, fifteen miles from Portland, Monday night, May 15, is still missing. Farmers and deputy sheriffs are continuing their search today for his body.

Drank Up \$20,000, Is Wife's Charge

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Testimony that Thomas F. Maher, wealthy mining man, spent \$20,000 on liquor in fifteen months, drinking most of it himself, Mrs. Mabel Hazel Maher is granted an interlocutory decree of divorce today.

FAVOR FEDERAL LAW

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 23.—A constitutional amendment for federal prohibition was endorsed by the Cumberland Presbyterian church at its eighty-sixth general assembly here today.

FOR NERVOUS DISORDERS

Take Herford's Acid Phosphate For insomnia, irritability and indigestion. The best tonic for nerves and stomach—Advertment.

The Only Department Store in Oakland Giving 2x Green Stamps

This Great Saving System has the approval of thousands of Oakland and Bay District women. Ask about it the next time you are in the store.

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13th and Washington Oakland

More Corduroy Coats

Over 200 of them to Be Featured at \$5.00

We would be justified in making great value claims but our policy is to let the customer decide this point after seeing the merchandise.

This is a new lot. Some have the shirred effect in the waist line at the back and belt in front. Some are full-belted. A few models are fur trimmed, others have the Chin-Chin Collar and patch pockets.

The colors are champagne, rose, gray, green Belgian blue, mustard, apricot, bronze and white.

Sizes for women and misses. Third Floor.

Real Leather Hand Bags 81c

Yes, they are genuine leather—every bag in the lot. They are lined with fancy silk and equipped with coin purse and mirror—81c is the price for Wednesday only.

Fiber Silk Hose 10c pair

They are classed as "seconds" because of slight imperfections. Have garter top and re-inforced toe, sole and heel. All sizes for women.

The same price on MEN'S Fiber Silk Hose in white, black and colors—10c pair, Wednesday only. No exchanges.

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FLOUR—10-lb. sack, 32c

AMMONIA—Bottle 7c

POTATOES—8 lbs. for 25c

ORANGES—Dozen 27c

GRAPE FRUIT 6 for 15c

SEED ROLLS—Dozen 10c

Heinz Ketchup, bot. 22c

Knox Gelatin, pkg. 11c

Kellogg's Krimbles, pkg. 10c

Campbell's Beans, 6 for 55c

Sweet Pickles, quart 25c

Krinkle Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. 25c

Liquid Veneer, small 20c

Large Bottle 40c

Vanilla or Lemon Extract—2-oz. bottle 25c

Bread, large loaves 7c

Home Made Apple Pies 12c

Stuffed Minis, lb. 25c

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Root Beer, Sarsaparilla, Gingerale, Sunny Brook, full qt. 95c etc. dozen pints 90c

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PEACE TALK IS GROWING IN EUROPE

BERLIN, May 23.—Philip Schödemann, Socialist leader, informed the United Press today that Woodrow Wilson or William Howard Taft would be acceptable to the German Socialists as a peace-maker. He added that appointment of a food dictator would destroy all hopes of an allied victory through a food blockade and compel Great Britain to make peace.

"Socialists desire peace," he declared. "I am confident that the imperial chancellor wants peace. There is enough food for all Germany. What is needed is absolute control of the German states which must feed Berlin, which formerly depended upon outside states."

"The food dictator will be an imperial officer. The states have fought side by side and now each must put its foodstuffs side by side. There will then be enough to last until the crops are harvested. A shortage of a few weeks will not make us sue for peace."

ROME, May 23.—The "Agenzia Nazionale" says: "It is learned in Catholic circles that President Wilson recently wrote to the Pope that he was anxious to avoid conflict with Germany, but that he was unwilling to renounce the principle of humanity which was sanctified by international law."

"Regarding the possibility of his intervention with the belligerent nations in favor of peace, President Wilson said it would be impossible for the United States to hamper with words the settlement of questions which must be solved by deeds. The President added that for the present the American government did not regard as opportune the launching of any peace move."

AMSTERDAM, May 23.—The "Munchel Nieuws" publishes a wireless dispatch from Madrid, which says that negotiations are in progress there "between King Alfonso and the Pope and President Wilson for the purpose of arranging an armistice among the belligerent nations with the object of discussing peace terms."

LONDON, May 23.—The underwriters yesterday charged 50 per cent to insure against a declaration of peace between Great Britain and Germany before January 1. The rate indicates that in the underwriters' opinion the prospects for an early peace are better than two months ago, when the rate for the same risk was only 80 per cent.

VIENNA, May 23.—Emperor Francis Joseph in an interview today declared he was certain that the central powers would ultimately triumph. He praised his troops for their successful offensive against the Italians and also said it was a mistake to underestimate the enemy.

"They proved exceedingly brave," said the emperor.

Quebec Elections Benefit Liberals

MONTREAL, May 23.—Sir Lomer Gouin was returned to power in the provincial legislature with an increased majority and the Conservative opposition dwindled from seventeen in the last house to seven in the new house as a result of the Quebec elections yesterday.

J. S. A. Ashby, Liberal, defeated Philemon Coupland for membership in the legislature by a majority of 1650. The standing Liberal party at present is Liberals seventy-two, Conservatives seven. There are two deferred elections, however, in Gaspe and Madeline Islands, but indications are that these will add to Sir Lomer Gouin's majority, making it a grand total of seventy-four. The Liberal majority in the last election was fifty-three. Yesterday's voting was in fifty-three constituencies where forty-nine Liberals and four Conservatives were elected.

Twenty-three Liberals were returned by acclamation, among them being the premier, Sir Lomer Gouin, and Walter G. Mitchell, the provincial treasurer. Three Conservatives were elected by acclamation.

Sibley and Langhorne Expected to Report

MARATHON, Texas, May 23.—Colonel Sibley and Major Langhorne on the American side again after their arduous journey through Northern Coahuila in search of bandits, are expected to arrive in an automobile at Marathon late tonight or early Wednesday morning to make a detailed report on their operations in Mexico.

Rumors were current here that a bandit band of some two hundred and fifty was across the river from Lobo, Texas, twenty-six miles west of Valentine, last night. Captain G. A. Wiczeorek, base commander at Marathon, says he knows nothing of the report.

21 Are Graduated From State School

Prof. Henry Morse Stephens of the University of California presented the diplomas to twenty-one graduates at the California School for the Deaf and Blind in Berkeley last night. The gift watch, annually given for the best poem contributed from the blind department, was given Stanley Reed. The graduates were: School for the Blind—Ernest Crowley, Margaret McAttee, Florence Meyer, Anna Schmeider, Helen Dodge, Quire, Meredith O'Brien, Lewis Peterson, Edna Egan, Carmella Harrison, Merle Thurman, Lucille Brooker, Curtis, Nellie Bizzini, Martha Neubauer.

Submarine Takes Captain Prisoner

MARSEILLE, France, May 23.—Information received here today concerning the loss of the French steamer Launedo, 1612 tons gross and owned in Marseilles, shows that she was sunk in the Mediterranean on Saturday by a submarine. Captain Pierre Battistini was taken away a prisoner on board the submarine on the ground that he attempted to defend his ship. The Launedo was sunk by shell fire from the submarine which killed one member of the crew and wounded two others seriously and ten slightly.

LONDON, May 23.—The steamer Rheanus, of 285 tons, registered from West Hartlepool, was sunk today.

Germans Deny Claims of French Douaumont in Teuton Hands, Says Berlin

BERLIN, May 23.—Announcement was made by the German press today that in the fighting north of Verdun the French have taken some first line positions of the Germans, but that Fort Douaumont remains firmly in German hands. The statement given out by the headquarters today says: "Western front: Preparation made by the British to make a counter attack southwest of Givency-en-Cohelle were observed. Small advances by the British in the Rockcourt district were repulsed."

"In the Meuse district (Verdun front) the fighting was especially heavy on account of the enemy's counter attacks. West of the river the Germans captured a French blockhouse south of Farnard forest. Hostile attacks east of Verdun and on southern slopes of Dead Man's hill resulted in failure."

"East of the Meuse there were violent infantry engagements on the front south of Thiaumont farm as far as the Callette wood. The French, after a strong artillery preparation, entered the foremost German position, but were repulsed on the flanks of the sector by German counter attacks. South of the former fort of Douaumont the engagement is not yet finished. Fort Douaumont remained firmly in German hands."

"Northwest of Fort Vaux we recaptured a sap which had been occupied temporarily by the enemy."

"The first and second lines of the French on Cambres height were destroyed by our mines over a considerable distance."

"On the heights of the Meuse, southeast of Verdun, near Vaux Les Palameux and Saucy, the enemy's attacks for the most part broke down before our curtain of fire. Small detachments which entered our trenches were annihilated."

"An enemy aeroplane was shot down southwest of Valley."

GERMANS DRIVEN FROM DOUAUMONT

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and a well-directed curtain of fire dropped into the front rank of the Teutons, obliterating it and sending the remainder of the column back in confusion.

EFFECT IMPORTANT.—Recaptured after three months of the greater part of Fort Douaumont, which was taken by the Germans at the outset of their Verdun drive, is received with great elation by the press and public, the more so because of the effect it is expected to have on neutral opinion.

The French press is considered by military critics here to have shaken the whole German line at Verdun. Douaumont fort was the most important point captured by the Germans, and the French gain there is regarded as having nullified the most significant achievement of the Germans in the great battle of three months.

Stiefvater Resigns as Club President

A. P. Stiefvater, the attorney who cross-examined certain witnesses last Friday during the police hearing before the city council, is no longer president of the United Improvement Clubs East of Lake Merritt.

Stiefvater resigned just before he resigned last night C. E. Taylor, a delegate from the Brookdale Citizens Club, offered a resolution declaring the office of president vacant. The ostensible reason for the resolution was the fact that Stiefvater was originally a delegate to the United Improvement Clubs, but had since become a member of the Brookdale Citizens Club. This club, according to those who were interested in the Taylor resolution, is now a defunct organization and has been so for a year past.

Stiefvater had been president since last January and had no information of the Taylor resolution until it was introduced as the concluding piece of business last night. The president immediately called for a vote after the motion was seconded, and while this matter was pending offered the club his resignation and turned the chair over to F. C. Scarber of the Key Route Heights Club.

County Inquisitors Visiting Infirmary

For the purpose of making a personal inspection of the county infirmary in order to be better able to conduct its investigation into the charges of alleged mismanagement and misconduct on the part of the employees, the grand jury, accompanied by District Attorney Hayes, is visiting the institution at San Leandro today.

The grand jury has heard the testimony of persons who complain that a bad condition of affairs exists at the infirmary and adjourned a week ago with the understanding that the session this week be devoted to an inspection tour.

The grand jury will observe the proximity of the Lavin saloon to the county poor house. Supervisor Fred Posa of Berkeley who has laid the infirmary situation before the grand jury by setting forth to that body complaints that he has received from inmates and others. He has asked the supervisors to take away the license held by Lavin. His motion was tabled.

At the same time the grand jurors will probably examine a number of the attendants at the infirmary and possibly will make some recommendations regarding the management.

German Submarines Cause Anger in Spain

MADRID, May 23.—The owners of the steamer Marques de Mudeia, which left Newport, Wales, for Bilbao on May 1 believe the ship has fallen a victim to a submarine, as nothing has been heard from her since she sailed from the Welsh port. According to dispatches from Bilbao, the frequent attacks against Spanish ships by German submarines are greatly irritating shipowners on the Cantabrian coast. It is reported that these deputies have asked the government to take action similar to that in the United States and demand that Germany restore neutral flags. It is said that the shipowners have demanded that unless suitable guarantees are obtained they keep their vessels in port.

L. A. WOMAN FOR FEDERATION HEAD

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club women will be entertained at the house of the women's clubs of Orange.

SERVED AS OFFICER.—Mrs. Cowles has served the General Federation as director, treasurer, member of the executive committee, chairman of the finance and peace committees, first vice-president, and as chairman of the St. Paul biennial program committee. Mrs. Cowles said today:

"The successive offices I have held betoken my unqualified interest in the principles and wide opportunities of wide federation. In recognition of the honor conferred by this nomination to the highest position in the gift of women's clubs, I would faithfully and loyally render back all for which I have been elected, together with devotion and an earnest sense of the vision."

Mrs. Sneath also is a clubwoman of wide experience. She is a native of Ohio and worked first with its women and for its interests, but for many years she has been connected as well with the larger organizations of the General Federation as second and first vice-president.

OUTLINE PROGRAM.—She was responsible for the building of the program for the twelfth biennial convention, held in Chicago in 1914, and this constructive ability has been shown as well in the business positions she has held. She also perfected the outline of the department of work in the General Federation. Mrs. Sneath today said:

"The only honor in holding office is in service well rendered. My first desire is for a good federation—a united womanhood that may achieve only the best results. I believe in plenty of money for publicity and in a conservative investment of the endowment fund."

Her ancestry—she is both a Colonial Dame and a Daughter of the American Revolution—make her patriotic. She would have the new patriotism taught everywhere, beginning with the Americanization of the immigrant and the proper training of youth.

Mrs. Sneath was recently elected to the board of directors of the Interstate Trust and Banking Company of New Orleans. She spends her winters in that city.

Mrs. Sneath's knowledge of federation activities dates from the very beginning, as she was a member of the original clubs which sent representatives to New York in 1880, at the call of Sorosis, to inaugurate the movement, and was a delegate to the convention in Chicago in 1892, which formally organized the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

At the Milwaukee biennial in 1900 she represented her state as General Federation state's secretary.

On the resignation of Mrs. Rudolph Blankenburg two years ago, she became first vice-president. She was a member of the Tariff Commission League.

Candidates for other positions are: Mrs. William P. Harper, whom the Washington State Federation of Women's Clubs has endorsed for auditor; Mrs. William B. Williams, who is the choice of the Michigan Federation for corresponding secretary, and Mrs. James A. Leach, whom the Kentucky Federation announces as candidate for director.

Mrs. Leach was chairman of the General Federation credentials committee in the 1898 biennial.

To Use Convention to Rush Navy Bill

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The second administration preparatory measure, the naval appropriation bill, will pass the House not later than a week from next Saturday night, Majority Leader Kitchin asserted today, outlining the program for the week to the House. Longer day sessions and three hour extra night sessions will be devoted to its consideration, he said.

Representative Mann, minority leader, attacked the plan as a political trick to force measures through hurriedly on the eve of the Republican national convention.

"This is not generous, fair or decent," he said.

Kitchin said a special rule would be brought in to take the bill Monday and pass it by Saturday with a week of uninterrupted consideration.

Representative Butler of Pennsylvania, ranking Republican on the naval committee, said it was the understanding of many Republicans that the bill was not to be considered until after the convention and they had made plans accordingly. He warned the Democrats he would insist on the maintenance of a "quorum all the time."

Charity Men Are Under Indictment

NEW YORK, May 23.—The first indictments resulting from the tapping of telephone wires in this city were returned by the Kings county grand jury today. John A. Kingsbury, city commissioner of charities, and William H. Hotchkiss, special counsel for the charities department, were the men named in the indictments. Each appeared in the county court in Brooklyn and gave \$1000 bail.

Hotchkiss formerly was state superintendent of insurance. He acted as counsel for Kingsbury, who was one of the central figures in the recent state investigation of the management of charitable institutions receiving city funds.

The indictments were based on testimony in regard to the tapping of the telephone wires of the Rev. William B. Farrell, a priest, and of Dr. D. C. Potter and one other, all of whom were witnesses in the state investigation.

Dixie Club Leader Sues for Slander

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Alleging that worry over charges made against her while she was secretary of the Dixie Club, an organization of Southern people here, which has lately been in the throes of reorganization, had impaired her health, Mrs. L. Marmaduke Eskridge, former secretary of the club, today filed a \$25,000 slander suit against Mrs. Charles S. Fitzsimmons.

She declares that Mrs. Fitzsimmons, during club disputes called her dishonest, in the hearing of others, and that this preyed upon her mind until she became ill. She declares that she wants vindication and also damages. Both women are prominent socially.

HADLEY UNATTACHED.—ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—Herbert S. Hadley, former governor of Missouri, today hopes of heading the Missouri delegation to the Republican national convention, and using the platform to help his vice-presidential boom today when Otto Siffler beat him out by a vote of 30 to 7.

Coolbrith Picture for Franklin School

Songs and addresses by admirers of the poet and by the pupils of the school will mark the ceremonies presentation of Miss Ina Coolbrith's portrait by the Franklin School Parent-Teacher Association to the school next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. F. R. Thompson, president of the association, will offer the gift, and there will be other addresses by Mrs. Marion Taylor, first vice-president of the Pacific Coast Woman's Press Association, and by George A. Elvar, principal of the school. Miss Leta Rose, soloist of the Church of the Advent, will sing "Blossom Time" and "Quest." The school's part in the program will include songs from the fifth and sixth grade students and music by the school orchestra led by Miss Jessie Ray Thompson. Afterward there will be a special hour and a general reception in honor of Miss Coolbrith, to which the association has invited the public.

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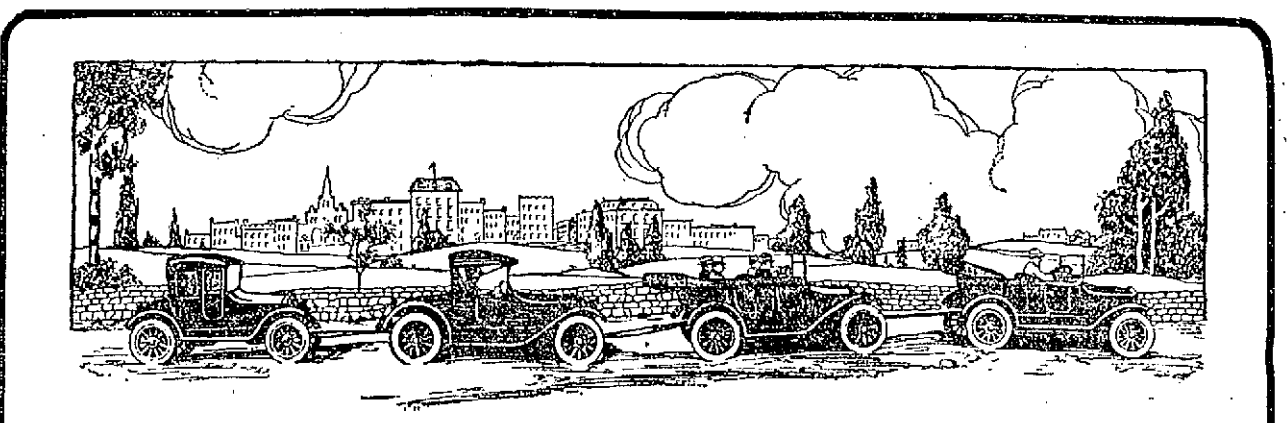
Divorce Record in Kern Climbs Up

BAKERSFIELD, May 23.—For every three marriage licenses issued in Kern county since the beginning of the year, one interlocutory divorce decree has been granted. Compilations from the records of the county clerk's office show that since January 1 last, 42 interlocutory divorce decrees have been entered in the judgment book, and 168 affidavits for marriage licenses have been entered.

1000 Eagles Open San Diego Conclave

SAN DIEGO, May 23.—More than 1000 delegates were here for the opening session of the thirteenth annual state convention of Eagles this morning. Addresses at the first business meeting were made by State President Herbert Chynak of San Francisco, Mayor Edwin Capps and several past presidents of the order.

A public meeting was held last night at which speeches and a musical program featured.



How the Texas Tube test happened!

It nettled Bill Parr considerably! So many Motorists had carelessly stated that "all Tire Tubes are just Rubber." He determined to show some folks the difference, in a way they would never forget.

There were four Cars at the door, and their Owners or Drivers at his elbow. To these he said,—

"Boys,—how strong do you think this Goodrich Brown Tube actually is?"

"Do you believe it is strong enough to tow Mr. Oden's five passenger Car, with four people in it, from here for 20 blocks?"

"You don't, eh?"

"Well now here's a bit of a Bet I want to make with any, or all, of you."

"I will bet you a Dinner that this little old regular Goodrich Tube (34x4) will not only tow Mr. Oden's Car, but will tow all three of your Cars,—fully passengered,—through the streets, for the full 21 blocks (more than a mile and a half)—starting and stopping as many times as the crowd makes it necessary."

"I will,—if you Gentlemen are agreeable,—line up all four of your Cars, right here and now, take three regular Goodrich Tubes hap-hazard out of their boxes,—one tube between each two Cars, (which means hauling three Cars on the first Tube) and tote You—all that way to 'The Corners.'"

"Are you willing to bet a Dinner that any one of the three Tubes will 'go broke' on the way, or show a flaw which would leak Air, or prevent its being used for its original Tire purpose afterwards?"

"You are, eh?"

"Well,—the Bet's on!"

"Come along, and you be the Judges."

THE Dinner was a very Cheerful Affair. As Oden said afterwards (when putting up his share of the Bet) "you could have bet me a Million on that, Parr, and I'd have taken you up,—even if I had to borrow the Million."

"I don't see how the blamed Tubes ever did hold out,—especially going up Saco St. under such a strain. With eight people in the last three Cars,—and a total load of over 8,800 pounds I sure thought to hear something snap before second block."

"Whaddye put into that brown Goodrich Rubber anyhow, to make it hang together like that?"

Fritz said that what puzzled him most was the brown Rubber Tubes "not being stretched out of shape after such a tug, even if they did hang together at the finish."

"Look you," said he, "when we released the load,—after the haul,—they instantly snapped back into just three-quarters of an inch longer than they were at the start!"

"And that ¾ of an inch, they took up again in less than two hours rest."

"WELL, boys,"—Bill Parr remarked,—as he smoothed out a wrinkle in his well-filled vest, "that'll stop the Argument about all Tire Tubes being 'just Rubber,' won't it?"

"If the Brown Stuff that toted all you Heavyweights,—and your Cars,—for 21 Blocks without a Sign of Heavy Duty afterwards, isn't something MORE than 'just Rubber,' like other Tubes,—then you'd better buy the 'just Rubber' kind hereafter."

"I'm going to ask all of you to sign your names to this 'Texas Tire Tube Test,'—just to show that you have taken part in a regular Exploit which is mighty well worth recording."

So indeed they did,—and here is the affidavit!

AFFIDAVIT

This certifies that we, the undersigned, took part in and witnessed the "Texas Tube Test" referred to in the advertisement entitled "How the Texas Tube Test Happened!"—that the test was made on date of Nov. 11, at Waco, Texas, the distance covered being twenty-one blocks and that the result was as described.

Signed— W. M. ODEN
J. M. NASH
B. A. FRITZ
W. A. PARR

Subscribed and sworn to before me by W. M. Oden, J. M. Nash, B. A. Fritz and W. A. Parr, this 3rd day of May, A.D. 1916, at Waco, Texas.

Signed— J. G. WREN,
Notary Public,
McLennan County, Texas.

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Weigh yourself once a week and note what a pleasant and reliable method this is for removing superfluous fat from any part of the body.

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TWELFTH AND BROADWAY

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1228 SEVENTH STREET.

Berkeley Branch
SHATTUCK AVE. AND CENTER ST.

600 Withdrawals to Petition Filed

The Jackson forces registered 600 withdrawals to the recall petition against Commissioner F. F. Jackson with City Clerk Frank Cummings today. It was stated this there will be almost as many more to file before Thursday night, when Cummings must make his report as to the sufficiency of the petition.

Cummings stated today that the percentage of rejections in the verification of the supplementary petition is higher than he at first anticipated. Indications are that there will not be sufficient names to make a recall necessary.

It is anticipated that the recall controversy will eventually find its way to the courts, as the recall forces are unwilling to accept the decision of City Clerk Cummings as to some of the rejected certificates. They say they will mandamus the city clerk to replace some of the names on the certificate.

Held to Answer for Auto Theft

Richard Peebles, arrested in Los Angeles some days ago and charged with stealing an automobile belonging to Irving Kahn, was held to answer before Police Judge George Samuel today. He was then transferred to the other Police Court and charged with stealing an automobile belonging to George B. Waddell. He will be examined on that charge next week. He was held for \$3000 bonds.

THREE GET PRISON TERMS.

John Quaranta, whose true name is Ross, was today sentenced by Superior Judge Ogden to three years in San Quentin for passing a fictitious check. Mike Duobles, charged with first degree burglary, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two and one-half years in Folsom. John King, who pleaded guilty to a statutory offense in which a little girl was the complaining witness, was sentenced to six years in San Quentin.

Permanent Relief for Chronic Constipation

Knowledge and Practice of Correct Daily Habit the Great Essential.

Constipation is a condition affecting all classes of all people and can be permanently relieved only by acquiring habits of regularity.

The most natural time for the eliminative process is in the morning when both the muscular and nervous systems are relaxed by sleep and rest. When relief does not come readily, it is an excellent plan to take a mild laxative at bedtime. Cathartics and purgatives, that by the violence of their quick action shock and disturb the system, should not be employed.

An effective laxative remedy that is very dependable, and which does not grip or otherwise disturb the organs involved, is found in a combination of simple laxative herbs known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin that can be bought at the drug store for fifty cents a bottle.

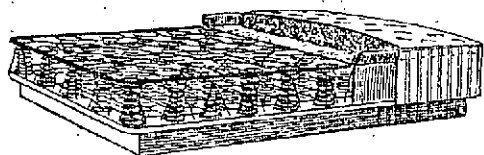


MRS. C. C. ALLEN

stomach after eating. It should be in every household.

Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and keep it in the house to use when occasion arises. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

W. & J. Sloane's Quality Bedding



OUR Upholstered Box Mattresses are made of highest quality Steel Spiral Springs, securely corded with best spring twine, tied with eight knots to each spiral and bound to a steel edge with many wrappings of twine. The tops are upholstered with hair only and covered with the highest grade tickings.

These mattresses are made entirely by hand by expert upholsterers and will outlast any springs made.

Prices from \$16.00 to \$30.00

Hair Mattresses of pure sterilized hair hand-laid from

\$12.00 to \$50.00.

Important Note—All hair used by us has been sun-cured, sterilized and retained "in rope" for at least one year—an absolute essential to a sanitary and enduring product.

W. & J. SLOANE

Carpets—Rugs—Draperies

216-228 SUTTER STREET
SAN FRANCISCO



Your Good Health

demands that you exercise care and discrimination in butter buying. Golden State affords you a double protection by reason of its purity and pasteurization. Insist on the best.

California Central Creameries



JERSEN STEAMER IS BRITISH PRIZE

VICTORIA, B. C., May 23.—With a prize crew aboard the three-masted auxiliary schooner Lenora, which was captured by a British cruiser on May 2 off Cape Corrientes, was brought into Esquimalt harbor on Sunday. The vessel will be held pending prize court proceedings. The Lenora is the first prize to be brought here since the war. The captain and purser, said to be of Mexican nationality, are the only members of the original crew detained aboard the Lenora, the other members and some passengers having been put ashore at Alacatlan shortly after the vessel was seized. When taken the Lenora was bound from Mexican ports with a full general cargo. It includes a motor car, which, it is said, was destined for the use of a Mexican general.

The Lenora is said to belong to the Mexican Lloyd Company, of which Captain Fred Jensen, who owned the steamer Mazatlan, since captured and taken as a prize to Port Stanley, Falkland Islands, was the principal owner. At the time of her capture the Lenora was under charter to German interests in Mexico and was flying the Mexican flag.

The prize is a three-masted wooden auxiliary schooner of 255 tons register and was formerly known as the Lottie Carson. She was built in 1881 at Port Blakely, Wash.

SERVICE BOARD HEAD TO RESIGN

Werdie P. Smith, for the past two years or more head of the efficiency division of the civil service board, will tender his resignation to the board tonight to take effect June 1. Smith has been offered an excellent position as office manager for the newly established Oakland Textile Manufacturing Company, and is resigning to accept the place.

Smith has been in the city service for almost six years. He was first employed in the street department, where he rose to be chief clerk. He was then offered the position of efficiency expert for the civil service board, having shown remarkable ability in organizing the office and field force of the street department on an efficient basis.

Pioneer work was done by Smith in almost every city department. It was upon recommendations made by him after careful surveys that the various departments were reorganized, and he also outlined the systems of efficiency markings adopted for municipal departments. Many cities have patterned their civil service work on system maps and details first elaborated by Smith in Oakland.

Smith will have charge of the clerical and accounting divisions for the new woolen mills. He will assume his new duties July 1, and during the month of June will be at work on some special experting.

No provision has yet been made for filling the position to be vacated by Smith. John R. Clarke, his assistant, will perform the duties of the office for the time being, it is understood.

Yerba Buena Sewer Job Contract Is Let

Contract was let today to Frank S. Osterander for the construction of the extension to the Yerba Buena sewer, for \$8000. Osterander was the lowest bidder. The sewer is to extend westerly from the Southern Pacific right of way.

Sergeant H. J. Thornbury was granted permission to accept a reward of \$100 from the Jewelers' Protective Association for his bravery and excellent service in capturing Jack Hegemann on the night of February 5, when Hegemann attempted to loot the Barney Jacobs' jewelry store window.

Petition was filed by 150 residents of Elmhurst asking that the city purchase the Pettigrove site for a public park. The site contains two acres of land at Nineteenth avenue and Hillside street, and can be obtained for \$12,500. The petition was referred to the park board.

Warned in L. A. to Carry Gun in S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—When called upon to explain the charge of carrying concealed weapons, Charles Fugoni, a tourist, told Police Judge Brady today that when in Los Angeles people had warned him to carry a gun during his visit in San Francisco.

"I was led to believe that things were wild and woolly up here," Judge, Fugoni told the Judge. "So I bought a gun."

Judge Brady took the case under advisement.

ESTATE SAVED \$2500.

Twenty-five hundred dollars was saved to the estate of the late Benjamin Wright today when property in Telegraph avenue for which real estate men had bid \$5000 was bid up to \$3000 within a few minutes. The purchaser was H. E. Van Sander. The sale was authorized by Superior Judge Wells.

PLAN FERRY BOAT.

MARTINEZ, May 21.—The Martinez-Benicia Ferry Company has accepted plans prepared by George W. Dickie of San Francisco for a new ferryboat, to be built this summer. The new ferry, which will replace the City of Seattle, will carry forty automobiles. It will be 141 feet between perpendiculars, 14 feet over aprons. Bids will be asked at once that the boat may be in service by spring.

NUXATED IRON

Increases strength of delicate, nervous run-down people. 25¢ per bottle. 10¢ per full explanation in large article soon to appear in this paper. Ask your doctor or druggist about it. The Owl Drug Co. always carries it in stock.—Advertisement.

Painless Parker Dentist

TWELFTH AND BROADWAY.

T. R. Makes Bid For G.O.P. Plum

NEW YORK, May 23.—Politicians today regarded Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's speech to the delegation of regular Republicans offering him their support as an open bid for the G. O. P. nomination. They saw an attempt to smoke out Justice Hughes in the colonel's declaration that no man would be named by the convention unless he had announced his position on Americanism and preparedness.

Roosevelt's speech was carefully prepared and his attitude apparently deliberately assumed. With regard to Americanism and preparedness he said:

"Any man at this time of crises who is not aggressively, openly and specifically for these principles is against them and every patriotic man should treat our public servants on this basis."

The delegation was headed by Gen. Vol. L. Meyer, former postmaster general under Roosevelt, who informed the colonel that the Roosevelt Republican committee, an organization with memberships in thirty states, has been formed for the purpose of working for T. R. in the convention. In his reply the colonel named over the principles which he favored and said:

"They are the principles you are organizing to support and with all my heart I welcome such support."

6 SHIPS SUNK BY DIVERS OR MINES

LONDON, May 23.—Six vessels have been sunk either by submarines or mines, according to reports received today.

The Greek steamship Adamantios Korais, of 2347 tons gross, was sunk by the Austrians in the Mediterranean. The crew was saved.

The Italian sailing vessel Fabbri Cotti-F was sunk in the Mediterranean. The British steamer Ithaca, of 2305 tons gross, was sunk by a mine. Seven of her crew were killed.

The 1300-ton Norwegian steamer Tjomo has been torpedoed.

COPENHAGEN, May 23.—The Danish steamer Caria, 316 tons, has been sunk by a mine outside of Sand Hammar Point, on the southern coast of Sweden, according to a Stockholm despatch. The crew was saved.

STOCKHOLM, May 23.—The Swedish steamer Rosalinn, 377 tons, from Copenhagen for Stungsund, in ballast, has been sunk by a mine off the Stockholm-Skeerie. The crew was saved.

Allen's Foot-Ease For the Troops

Many war zone hospitals have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the troops. Shaken into the shoes and used in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives rest and comfort, takes the friction from the shoe, and prevents the feet getting tired or sore. Drug and Department stores everywhere sell it. Don't accept any substitute. Try it today.—Advertisement.

Sensational Suit Reductions

Thought about getting a new suit---a good suit at a little price. Then read this advertisement. Come down this evening to look at some of them on display in our windows and then surely you will be here early tomorrow morning for first choice.

117 Smart New Suits
Now \$14.75

Suits That Some Stores Claim to Be \$35 and \$40 Values.
Suits That We Sold As High As \$27.50

A good and varied assortment of flare, belted and loose-fitting models. Made of good quality serges, gabardines, checks, silk taffetas and combinations of silk taffetas and serges. Broken lines, but all sizes in the lot for women and misses. All new and desirable colors.

New Sport Dresses
\$3.75

Toggery
CLOAK & GUITHOUSE

New Sport Dresses
\$5.95

568-572 Fourteenth St., Bet. Clay and Jefferson

SURE WAY TO GET RID OF BLACKHEADS

There is one simple, safe and sure way that never fails to get rid of blackheads and that is to dissolve them.

To do this get about two ounces of plain powdered norexin from any drug store—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet sponge—rub over the blackheads briskly—wash the parts and you will be surprised how the blackheads have disappeared. Big blackheads, little blackheads, no matter where they are, simply dissolve and disappear, leaving the parts without any mark whatever. Blackheads are simply a mixture of dust and dirt and secretions from the body that form in the pores of the skin—pinching and squeezing only cause irritation, make large pores, and do not get them out after they become hard. The powdered norexin and the water simply dissolve the blackheads so they wash right out, leaving the pores free and clean and in their natural condition. Anybody troubled with these unsightly blemishes should certainly try this simple method.

Job Printing at The TRIBUNE Office.

PAYABLE EVERY THREE MONTHS

SOUND SECURITY
YOUR PRINCIPAL BACK
WHenever YOU SAY
When you make this kind of a loan everybody in town don't know about it.

Carl W. Rhodehamel
Perry Building, 414 13th St.



\$1.00 A Week Will Dress You

Suits to Order or Ready Made.
537 12th St., Bet. Wash. and Clay
Long's Delicious Pastry and Coffee with Sandwich 10c at Long's Market

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"Human Nature on the Screen!"

This is the Gist of the Comments That Audiences Make after Seeing



and every new photo-heart-and-brain-stirring drama in this series presents additional proof of the promise of

PATHE

to give the public a striking novelty in screen plays.



ANNA NILSSON and TOM MOORE

with the winsome and powerful appeal of actors who add personality to art, make vivid the swift and telling action of each dramatic story of the series, and, when each is ended, make the big question present its challenge—

WHO'S GUILTY?

Produced by ARROW FILM CORPORATION, from stories by MRS. WILSON WOODROW, for the one big dominating factor in the moving picture world, PATHE.

Read the stories in this newspaper—see the pictures at your favorite theatre.

TO BE SHOWN IN OAKLAND ONLY AT THE

HIPPODROME

3 DAYS, BEG. NEXT SUNDAY.

And Every Sunday—Monday and Tuesday Thereafter

PATHE EXCHANGE

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, imitations and "just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over 30 Years

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

Island Treasurer Makes Deal in Coin

MANILA, May 23.—Jeremiah L. Manning, Insular treasurer, returned today from China, where he concluded negotiations for the sale to the Indian government of 7,500,000 silver pesos at a profit to the Insular government of twenty per cent. The bullion will be shipped immediately. British officials taking over the coin at Manila.

Manning went to China on May 13 with a commission to sell 20,000,000 silver pesos, which the Philippine government had stored at Corrigidor. There has been a great shortage of silver in China and India, which caused the metal to be held at a high premium.

Power Company to Protest Rate Ruling

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—The San Joaquin Light and Power Company filed a petition for a writ of review with the Supreme Court yesterday, directed against the Railroad Commission in the case wherein recently the Commission reduced the rates of the power company. The petition was filed by Attorneys Shatt and Sutherland of Fresno and was signed by A. G. Wilson, general manager of the power company. It alleges that the Commission acted in excess of jurisdiction in its recent ruling.

Brooklyn Bridge Is 33 Years Old Today

NEW YORK, May 23.—Brooklyn bridge is thirty-three years old today. It has brought the city about \$25,000,000 worth of revenue in nickels in that time. Since other bridges like it have been opened the revenue has not been so great. There are now so many bridges like Brooklyn bridge that it has to be singled out for the curious stranger in New York.

Body of Suicide Is Found After Search

SAN JOSE, May 23.—Guiseppe Bulancelli, an Italian, took his own life with a revolver shot through the heart four or five weeks ago in the bed of the Guadalupe creek. The body was found today. The coroner has been unable to locate the family of the dead man. The revolver with which he killed himself was found at Bulancelli's side.

Argentine Census Is Out; Shows Big Gain

BUENOS AIRES, May 23.—The census taken in 1914, published yesterday, fixes the population of the Argentine Republic at 7,558,287. The previous census, taken in 1905, gave the population as 3,954,911. The population of Buenos Aires is placed at 1,375,514.

PRIESTS TO END LIFE

NEW YORK, May 23.—William A. Brandt, secretary-treasurer of the American Society Company, attempted suicide last night in a rooming room of the Hudson Terminal building by stabbing himself in the abdomen. He inflicted eleven wounds. His condition is critical. Officials of the society company issued a statement saying that Brandt's accounts were all straight and they knew of no reason for the act other than despondency because of illness in his family. Brandt is 56 years old. His home is at Maplewood, N. J.

TO EXTRADITE EDDY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—John Nagle, assistant district attorney, left for Boston last night with extradition papers for the return of Burdette S. Eddy, former clerk of the Vendome Hotel, San Jose, who was indicted here by the Grand Jury last Wednesday night on a count of felony embezzlement of \$200 given into his care when he was appointed executor of his late father's estate.

BULGARIA WAITS WHILE ARMY RESTS

Little Country in War Zone Not Now Driving at Enemy.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, May 23.—The closing ranks recently of three of the largest military hospitals is an indication of how far removed Bulgaria is from the European war. The Saloniki front has been quiet for weeks and the attack on Avtona is a matter concerning only the Austro-Hungarians. The Bulgarian army is resting on its arms. In a few days several other hospitals will be closed and that in charge of the Austro-Hungarian mission will be converted into an electro-therapeutic institute for the recovery of damaged limbs.

CALL UP YOUTH. Nevertheless the Bulgarian government is calling to the colors the young men due to serve in the army. A great deal of reorganization is in progress, co-operation with the German and Austro-Hungarian troops having resulted in many a good lesson to the Bulgarian officers and general staff. Re-equipment has also been undertaken; to what extent is indicated by the fact that the acquisition of German and Austro-Hungarian motor trucks has enabled the Bulgarian government to furnish 60,000 army drivers with their own cars and wagons. These men and animals are now back in their villages, tilling the soil for the spring sowing.

Bulgarian officers readily admit that they have learned a great deal from the German and Austro-Hungarians. Not a few of them show in appearance and bearing. Though always accepted as a good soldier, the Bulgarian has hardly had the opportunity to acquire the dash of his northern brothers-in-arms. At present, therefore, there is a general tendency to be as much like the German and Austrian as possible. This has influenced the cut of the Bulgarian officer's uniform, and especially the shape of his cap, which formerly had a decided Russian tendency. Such German and Austrian greetings as "servus" and "Guten Tag" are universally used and it is fashionable now to use the German "Bitte"—please—instead of its French equivalent, formerly applied so much.

RELATIONS BEST. Relations between members of the three armies are the best, though in the main the Bulgarian officer takes more easily to the German officer, principally because of the capacity for work and organization of the latter has virtually overpowered the Bulgarian. The Bulgarian is generally a cold, calculating individual with a very objective sort of mind, somewhat headstrong when it comes to defending his position, but ready for all that to take lessons to be heard. This has caused him to look upon the German officer as a teacher of quality.

Enthusiasm is held by the Entente troops simply for the reason that an evacuation would mean more loss of prestige. Such is the opinion here. The English and French have entrenched themselves well, but driving them back within the protection of the works defending the port would be a very easy matter, say Bulgarian officers. In political circles it is pointed out that Bulgaria is not interested in driving the Allies out of Saloniki, at least for the present. That chase of the Balkan war concerns but Greece. It is argued. Aspects would be different in case the Allied troops set foot upon Macedonian soil.

HURT IN ACCIDENT.

STOCKTON, May 23.—Miss Pauline Dodge of Stockton was injured yesterday at Smith's lake, near this city, when the motorcycle on which she was riding with Ernest Antonucci, collided with an automobile driven by Joe Mangano of this city. Miss Dodge sustained a sprained ankle and severe burns about the arms and hands. The motorcycle was badly wrecked. Antonucci escaped without injury.

AD. MEN WOULD ABOLISH FRAUD

Watch Dealers of Ill Repute; Reports Are Educational.

Some time ago it was found that a large number of cities had been worked by a gang—and possibly several gangs—of shrewd, relentless peddlers who purport to be offering goods from a wrecked steamship, which ship they were never wrecked because there never was such a ship.

Efforts to catch the peddlers failed. The next best means was adopted. The light of publicity was turned upon them. Newspapers, advertising clubs and commercial clubs of the country were notified and the peddlers went out of business.

It was the National Vigilance Committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the United States that turned the light upon these frauds.

"I mention that case to give an idea," says President H. H. Houston, "in a concrete way, of the kind of service the advertising men of this country are rendering toward making the buying public safe, for at the bottom of the whole advertising club movement is the thought that, to make advertising effective, the first step is to protect the public against fraudulent selling schemes, of whatever character."

MAKES THINGS WARM. "And while I am writing this especially to describe the national work along this line, I may add incidentally that local advertising committees make things warm for the fly-by-night merchant who comes to town just long enough to unload a lot of undesirable goods, then to seek greener pastures. Merchants of this type have learned to give most advertising club committees a wide berth.

"The National Vigilance Committee has for one of its definite purposes the promotion of truth in advertising legislation in new territory and for that purpose has gathered statutes, legal opinions, etc., which it supplies in mass advocating such legislation locally.

"In a similar manner, information as to unworthy itinerants of various types is secured, so that when they make their appearance in new communities, the national committee is able to help a local advertising club committee by supplying information as to their past records. As this information continues to accumulate, the records become more and more similar to the great Bertillon system used by the police departments to identify criminals.

EDUCATIONAL WORK. "In the meantime, many of the committees are carrying forward the most persistent public educational work in display advertising space, which are usually denoted—and by appearing before women's clubs and other organizations and, in fact, through the adoption of any and every means for making life a little harder for the crooked advertiser and just a bit easier for the straight man.

"The clubs adhere closely to the belief that education must be the foundation of every permanent reform and they propose to accomplish their task while they are at it.

"Stated broadly, it is the business of the movement, nationally and locally, to marshal every force at its command to make advertising believed by all readers, by making every advertisement thoroughly believable and to drive out every fraudulent advertiser of whatever size and scope.

"I believe that the reports of the past year's accomplishments along these lines will be made at the annual meeting of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, at Philadelphia, June 25 to 30, will show that the advertising men and other business men interested in this matter have worked harder and accomplished more, during the past year than in any year since the movement started."

'JUNIOR CHAMBER' ON BOOSTER TRIP

SAN JOSE, May 23.—The Junior Chamber of Commerce of this city, comprising a membership of thirty-three high school students, left here this morning at 7 o'clock for their annual boosting trip through the bay cities. They are in charge of J. J. McCallister, a member of the high school faculty, who has charge of the work of the organization.

The students have decorated the six automobiles in which they are riding with signs which read "From Santa Clara Valley," or "From San Jose." Their first stop was at the Alameda High School this morning, where some of the junior boosters gave short addresses. Following this they passed through Oakland, and stopped at the Polytechnic High School and were luncheon guests in San Francisco, later paying a visit to the rooms of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce. Literature advertising this city and the Santa Clara Valley was distributed en route and the party expects to arrive here on the return about 9 p. m.

Veterans to Unite in Memorial Service

VALLEJO, May 23.—For the first time in the history of Vallejo, two veterans of the G. A. R. will combine with the Confederate veterans in this city to pay respect to their departed comrades on Memorial Day. The members of Henry W. Lawton Camp, No. 1, U. S. V., will assist the older veterans in preparing the program for Tuesday, the 30th inst., and invitations are now being issued to 40 lodges in this city to participate in the united services which are to be held at the City Park commencing at 2:30 p. m. sharp. Commandant P. M. Bennett of Marine and military affairs of the station officials are expected to attend and assist in the exercises.

Cat Locked Out of Home; Rings Doorbell

LONDON, May 23.—Onts are certainly not so demonstrative as dogs, but according to many cat lovers they are quite as sagacious. Archbishop Whalley has recorded that his mother's cat habitually rang the bell whenever it wanted a room door opened. On the first occasion that pussy made her wish known in this way the family had retired to bed.

"In the middle of the night," says the archbishop, "the cat rang the bell very violently. The sleepers, startled from their repose, proceeded downstairs with poker and tongs to intercept, as they thought, the predatory movements of a burglar. But they were equally surprised to find that the bell was rung by pussy, who frequently repeated the note whenever she wished to get out of the parlor."

H. C. CAPWELL CO.

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1000 Belts at 10c each

is a Wednesday Feature at Capwells

A clean-up of odds and ends in leather belts of all kinds and many colors, also some silk girdles included. Remainder of sample lots and special sale purchases. Heaped on a center aisle bargain table on the main floor for your choosing tomorrow. A glimpse at the window will fully reveal the bargain. Many different styles. Come early for first choice. (Main Floor)

Extra Special 2500 Stamped Pieces

A Clean-up in the Art Needlework Section

Every woman who loves a bargain will be here for one or more of these items tomorrow. Odds and ends in Stamped Baby Dresses, Swiss, Lawn and Plaque Collars; Pillow Tops and Backs, Centers, Scarfs, Dollies, Shoe Pockets, Scrim Pillow Ruffs, Five Piece Cushion Covers, Lace-Trimmed Pillow Covers and Squares, Laundry Bags formerly selling from 25c to 75c. Splendid picking among 2500 pieces. While they last—5c. (Second Floor)

BASEMENT STORE

May White Sales Bring Astonishing Savings in Household Linen and Bedding

500 Table Napkins 4c Each

Here's a sale of sales—15-inch extra and serviceable Table Napkins in the plain weaves with borders and hemmed, all ready for use.

75 Table Cloths 29c Each

A 48x66 Table Cloth for 29c is surely a bargain of bargains. Very heavy weight, in attractive dice patterns, and all practically half price.

12½c Pillow Cases 7½c Each

It's the time of year to replenish the towered supply in the linen closet and do it economically. The housekeeper cannot afford to miss these heavy bleached muslin pillow slips with neatly hemmed ends, 42x36 inches, for 7½c each.

12½c and 15c Turkish Towels 5c Each

At less than half price this lot of extra size, double-thread weave towels are on sale tomorrow in the Basement Store. Fully bleached, absorbent and durable towels at a fractional price.

500 Yards of 8c Crash Toweling 6½c Yard

Another chance to get towels at an unusual price—red-bordered heavy white crash toweling of good quality, 17 inches wide; very absorbent; ideal for all-around use. Special on Wednesday—6½c yd.

\$1.25 Table Cloths 95c Each

A dining table looks so pretty with its fresh white cloth. Here is an excellent value, highly incriminated, with pretty borders of floral, conventional and spot patterns. An extra large size—62x82 inches—for 95c.

75c Table Damask 55c Yard

The thrifty housewife who hems her own table linen will appreciate this reduction of 20c a yard on heavy-weight mercerized table damask in a diversity of floral patterns; bleached to a snowy whiteness and noted for its high luster.

10c Huck Towels 5c Each

Heavy, serviceable cotton huck towels, either in all white or white with a red border, are cut to half their original price. The lot includes various sizes, all of exceptional value, at 5c each.

\$1.50 Bed Spreads \$1.19 Each

Large white crocheted bedspreads in attractive designs; heavy and durable; 72x84 inches; at the unusual price of \$1.19 each.

500 Yards of 30c Table Damask 19c Yard

Another Wednesday special for the manager of the home—Extra heavy cotton damask table cloths in the dice pattern greatly reduced. Famous for its wearing quality.

Women's

Middy Blouses } 59c

A woman's wardrobe is incomplete without a middy for home wear or for picnics. Made of heavy white twill material with one pocket, these middies come either in all white or with collars and cuffs trimmed with popular sport stripes in many colors. Sizes 16 to 40.

(On Sale in Basement Only)

Bargain Extraordinary—Curtain Scrim 5c yd

A Wednesday special—36-inch curtain scrim, either with a wide border of various floral designs or in all-over designs, all colors. Ideal for the summer home or bungalow. Specially priced at 5c a yard.

(On Sale in Basement Only)

Sample Nottingham Curtains 29c Pair

A prize even in the store of bargains—Sample Nottingham curtains that were made to sell regularly for \$2.00 a pair are now being sold at 29c a pair; 40 to 50 inches wide; 2½ to 3 yards long, in a variety of patterns.

(On Sale in Basement Only)

Notions at Low Basement Prices

Dress Shields, sizes 2, 3 and 4.....5c pair
Asbestos Iron Molders.....5c for 10c
Boned Dress Belting, black or white, 3 sizes, yd.15c
Collar Flares, 3c each; Safety Pins, all sizes, 4c on card
Fancy Filled Silk Elastic, all colors, yard.....20c
Pins, paper.....5c
Sewing Silk, all colors, 2 spools for.....5c
Stocking Burners.....5c
Flinch Braid, 6-yard pieces.....10c
Cabinet Hair Pins, each.....4c
Bone Hair Pins, 5 on card.....8c
Tape Measures, each.....5c

(On Sale in Basement Only)

Pretty Crepe de Chine Corset Covers 98c

Sure to be snapped up at this low price—all silk crepe de chine corset covers, some with embroidered figures, others with lace insertions and medallions. Come in white and flesh colors; all sizes. Only 100 in the lot. Be here early for a wider choice. (On Sale in Basement Only)

Children's

Bungalow Aprons 17c

This little all-over apron will delight the kiddies because it's just like mother's and will please mother because of the saving in laundry. Comes in a plain or figured percale, in all colors, with a cute little belt, and trimmed with braid of contrasting colors. Easily takes the place of a dress. Sizes 2 to 6—17c. (On Sale in Basement Only)

Women's

Envelope Chemises 98c

Every woman appreciates dainty undermuslins, especially envelope chemises. Here is a shipment arrived just in time for Wednesday's sale—300 excellent quality white muslin chemises and a limited number of the flesh-colored garments now in vogue. Well made of good material, they are both durable and dainty, trimmed with pretty lace or embroidery. Only 98c. (On Sale in Basement Only)

Men's Socks } 9c

Of soft cotton and seamless; medium weight, offering good service; colors tan, gray, lavender and black. Sizes from 9½ to 11½. (On Sale in Basement Only)

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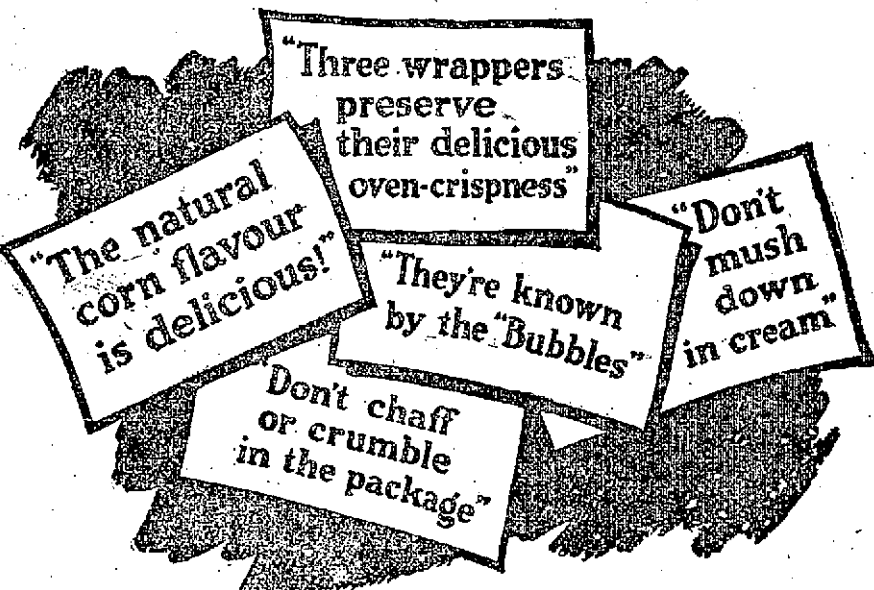
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Public Opinion



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SOCIETY News and Views of Activities of WOMEN Uncle Wiggly KIDDIES

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MISS FISCHER'S ENGAGEMENT. The engagement of Miss Sophia Fischer, daughter of John Fischer, which was announced at the wedding of Miss Alice Fischer and Dr. Harold Fletcher in Ross Valley last Saturday. The bride-elect is a student at the University of California and a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta society and her fiancé was graduated from college in Berkeley. Both of the "Fischer girls" have a host of friends in Oakland, where they have been entertained at the A. A. Moore and Von Adelung homes frequently, and they are close friends of Mrs. Mary Taylor, who is the bride's sister. The wedding will be at the home of the bride's family. It was attended by a large number of guests from both sides of the bay.

GUESTS AT WALKER PLACE. Mrs. and Mr. William Walker are at the Walker country place in Lassen county where, with the Willis Walkers, they have a large house party and are enjoying a delightful season. The party left last Friday in a private car and expect to remain several days longer. Mr. and Mrs. William Walker have been occupying the Pullman King Room restaurant at Sea Cliff, San Francisco. Mrs. Henry E. Bowen and Mrs. A. Goodwin Sheldon of New York, who have been their guests there, are members of the house party at Westwood, in Lassen county, where the Walkers have a luxurious "camp" like the famous places in the Adirondacks.

GREET DR. TAYLOR. Former students who have been "leaving cards" for Mrs. James Monroe Taylor and Miss Mary Taylor of New York, who, with Dr. Taylor, former president of Yassar, are guests at the Fairmont. They are to spend two weeks in San Francisco, and among the one-time Yassar girls will greet the visitors are Mrs. Frederick Whitton of Berkeley, Miss Elsie Moore, Mrs. Earle

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Brownell and Miss Marion Ransom of Piedmont.

WEDDING IN AUGUST. Miss Dorothy Tuttle, the fiancée of Franklin Dunning Fowler, will spend the early summer in Butte county, where she will be at the Tuttle ranch near Oroville, which is not far from the Fowler estate. Young Fowler is building a bungalow for his bride at the Fowler ranch, and it will be ready for occupancy after the wedding. This has been set for August and will probably take place at the Berkeley home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Pierson Tuttle.

GOING EAST. John McCallum, son of Mrs. Joseph Norris of Vernon Heights, will leave on June 1 for a trip East. He will be the guest of his aunt, Mrs. E. B. Perrin, who

recently returned to her home after spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. John McCallum at the St. Francis.

Young McCallum makes his home at the bay, where his father's studio is an interesting rendezvous for society.

ENJOY MOTOR TRIP. Mr. and Mrs. William Hinchey Taylor are motoring through the Sacramento valley with a party of friends. They will return tomorrow and leave on Friday for a motor tour of the Kings river country.

VISITING YOSEMITE. Miss Florence Sloper is the guest of friends on a motor trip to the Yosemite where the party will remain a fortnight.

MISS HATHAWAY ENGAGED. An engagement of interest to the college set and to many Oakland friends is that of Miss Helen Hathaway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Hathaway of Oakland, to Carleton White, son of Charles L. White of San Rafael. Miss Hathaway, who is a very bright girl, was graduated with the class of 1916 at the University of California, where she was one of the favorites of her set. She is a member of the Pi Kappa Phi Honor Society, and of the Alpha Xi Delta sorority. It was at a luncheon given for her by her sisters at the Hathaway home in Orchard street that the news of the betrothal was told. The Hathaways are well known in Oakland society and there are many good wishes for the attractive bride-elect, who will be entertained at a number of social affairs. No date is set for the wedding.

WEDDING IN PANAMA. It is possible that Miss Lucille Jennings will be a bride in Panama in the summer. Her engagement to Lieutenant Robert Rowe Thompson, U. S. N., was announced several weeks ago, and the marriage set for the summer. But the young officer may find it impossible to leave his ship, which is now at Colon, and in that event Miss Jennings, with her mother, Mrs. Herbert H. Jennings, will sail for Panama in July and the marriage will be celebrated at Colon. Miss Jennings is one of the belles of the Berkeley set and a cousin of Mrs. Robert Hayes Smith of San Francisco and of Mrs. Joseph Leroy Nelson, who was graduated from Miss Ransom's School in Piedmont. Lieutenant Thompson belongs to a well known Modesto family and his sister, Miss Betty Thompson, is a student at Mills College.

TEA FOR BRIDE-ELECT. As a compliment to Miss Ruth Erwin, who is to be married in June to Warren Lebe, Miss Eleanor Joyce, who is also one of the Berkeley brides-elect, will give a tea on the afternoon of May 29. Miss Joyce's wedding to Paul Kirland Mays will take place later in the season.

WEDDING CARDS. Cards announcing the marriage of Miss Anita de Laguna and Professor Frederick Marshall Jencles of Rhode Island, have been received by friends of the de Laguna family, who has been prominent in Oakland for many years. The bride is a daughter of the late William de Laguna and a very brilliant girl who was graduated with honors from the University of California and later went to college in the East. The wedding took place at the Swedenborg church in San Francisco on Saturday afternoon and was attended by relatives and a few intimate friends from this side

GARIS' BEDTIME STORY

UNCLE WIGGLY AND SUSIE'S EARRINGS.

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"Yes, and it is a sort of burn," spoke another voice. "It burns like fire!"

"My goodness! First!" thought Uncle Wiggly. "I hope nothing is on fire in these woods. If there is I had better call out the water bugs. But first I'll take a look."

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DASH WITH BABY MAY SAVE LIFE

Rabid Animals Terrorize Lassen-Moore Farmers; Many Victims.

REDDING, May 23.—Southern Modoc and northwestern Lassen counties were further alarmed today by reports of rabid animals running at large. In the village of Adin in Modoc county, Dale Davis, 3, son of James Davis, was attacked by a wildcat while playing in the door yard and deeply bitten in the face and body. The boy's screams attracted his father from the house and the cat fled. Later it was killed.

A physician recommended that the child be taken at once to the state laboratory in Berkeley for the Pasteur treatment. Mother and son made a wild ride of 102 miles to Redding last night to catch the evening train and missed it. The boy, suffering, was taken to a hospital to

Doctor Testifies for Mrs. Matters

CHICAGO, May 23.—Dr. William A. Whitaker, physician of Mrs. Anna Dolie Ledger Wood Matters for ten years, testified today at her trial on charges of attempting to falsify a spurious heir to the Fred Matters estate on the probate court, that before her visit to Ottawa, Ont., he believed she was to be a mother and that after her return to Chicago he was confident she had become a mother.

TO MANAGE RAILROAD.
DES MOINES, May 23.—The appointment of F. J. Easley of Des Moines to be assistant general manager of the Colorado lines of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad was announced today. Mr. Easley is at present assistant general manager of the first district of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

remain over night and started for Berkeley today.

Adin is six miles from Heber, Lassen county, from which fourteen men, women and children left ten days ago in a body for Pasteur treatment at Berkeley. They coyotes at different times have assaulted human beings, but this in the first wild-

THEORY IN NELMS CASE DISCREDITED

Mrs. Buckley Not One of Missing Sisters, Say Washington Friends.

SEATTLE, May 23.—Information tending to discredit the theory that Mrs. Elsie Nelson and her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Nelson, of Atlanta, Ga., were living in this city and in Snohomish after they were reported murdered two years ago at San Antonio, Tex., was given today by Edward G. Will and J. M. Nisbet, Seattle real estate dealers.

Both men expressed themselves as confident that Mrs. Paul Buckley, formerly of Snohomish, who was identified by City Attorney M. J. McGuinness of that city, as being Mrs. Nelson, yesterday, is not one of the missing sisters.

Nisbet and Will said they knew Mrs. Buckley for years, the former being particularly well acquainted with the Buckley family since that time.

SIGNATURE FOUND.
Mrs. Buckley transacted considerable real estate business through Nisbet and Will and is shown on some Seattle property she purchased two years ago. The name she signed to the contract was "Alice B. Buckley."

Buckley and his wife lived for more than two years in a cottage on Nineteenth Avenue North, here, according to the two realty men, later moving to Snohomish for a short time, and then to Alaska.

"Buckley is now United States marshal at Unalakleet," said Will, "and I am sure since seeing the picture Mrs. Nelson and her sister, who is a local newspaper, that neither can possibly be Mrs. Buckley."

KNOWN AS NURSE.
Nisbet said: "I have known the Buckley well. I am sure Mrs. Buckley is an old-time Alaska. She was a nurse before she married, and an uncle who died two years ago in Nebraska, left her some money. She has a daughter named Dorothy, 7 or 8 years old. I never heard that she had a sister."

J. D. Murray, a small hand of Aberdeen, Wash., sent word to an attorney for Victor E. Innes, brother-in-law of Nelson's sister, who was tried recently for their murder and acquitted, that he and a man named Joe had ridden on the train with two women between Snohomish and Seattle in August, 1914. One woman was a Mrs. Buckley, he said, and he saw in her hand a letter addressed to "Eloise E. Nelson."

M. J. McGuinness, city attorney of Snohomish, furnished the information to an attorney in Atlanta, which caused the belief that the sisters were alive.

Hospital Physician
Answers Jury Charges

"If the coroner's jury that returned a verdict last night criticizing the attendants at the Emergency hospital had possessed ordinary intelligence, such a verdict would not have been returned," said Dr. H. E. Franck, resident physician at the hospital today.

The inquest was held into the death of Harry Danbacher, a sign painter who died at the hospital on May 5, shortly after he had received fatal injuries when a large signboard on which he was working with another man on the Oakland pier was blown down, carrying them beneath it and crushing them.

"Only slight attention can be given a patient injured as that man was," said Dr. Franck. "His skull was fractured and the only thing that was done was to clean the wounds in such a case is to apply an antiseptic to the head. The patient is in too great shock to be operated upon or moved about."

"In Danbacher's case his liver was ruptured and he had internal hemorrhage."

The jury found that a delay of thirty-five minutes had occurred before the patient was treated and that his death had been hastened through neglect.

Suggest Price for
W. P. at \$15,000,000

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Suggestion that a price equaling the market value of its outstanding bonds, about \$15,000,000, be placed on the Western Pacific, was made in the reorganization hearing held today by Attorney John Bowler, representing the road's reorganization committee.

C. M. Leary, general manager of the road, was on the stand at the hearing, discussing operation and other details of the road's affairs. Rudolph Spreckels took the stand late this afternoon.

Banks controlled by Spreckels own large amounts of the road's bonds and Spreckels was declared to be active among the reorganization workers. He is to be closely questioned on this point during the reorganization hearings.

Stay Granted to
Western Fuel Men

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—James B. Smith, vice-president of the Western Fuel Company, Fred C. Mills and E. H. Meyer, under sentence for alleged fraud, were today granted a thirty-day stay of sentence to permit them to appeal to the United States Supreme Court. They had appealed to the Circuit Court, which denied their appeal.

Smith is under sentence of eighteen months and \$5000 fine. Mills under eighteen months' sentence and Meyer was sentenced to a year in connection with alleged fraudulent methods of conducting the business.

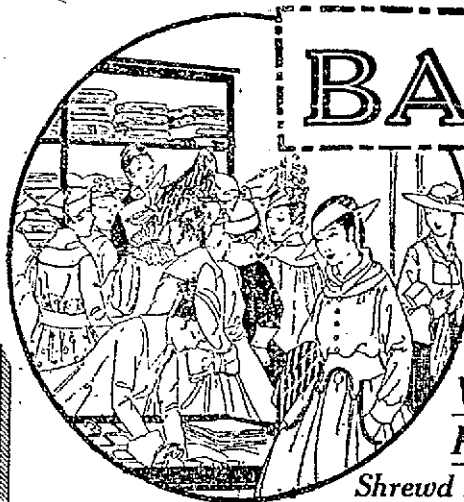
Firms Represented at
Hearing on Rebates

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Business firms from all parts of the state were presented today in the hearing at which claims were made for rebates of switching charges made by railroads in California in the past year. About a year ago the railroad commission decided that the roads had no right to collect the 12.50 switching charges received from shippers. Following this decision the shippers brought action to collect for three years. It is this fight that is being heard at the present time. The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce and several other bodies are interested in the matter.

Adolph Uhl Pleads
Not Guilty; Trial Set

Adolph Uhl, accused of manslaughter in connection with the death of Miss Reag J. Smith, who was killed by the hit automobile in Oakland avenue on February 24, appeared before Superior Judge Ogden today, pleaded not guilty and had his trial set for July 24.

Mrs. Ella McGreer of Berkeley, who is charged with having been the mother of the child who was employed as a teller in the Berkeley branch office of the Peoples Water Company, also pleaded not guilty today and her trial was set for June 30.



BARGAIN WEEK



Values for Wednesday that reiterate the
KAHN STORE POLICY of GREATER VALUES.

Shrewd Shoppers will be prompt to avail themselves of these items

Bed Sheets 61x90, full bleach, double bed sheets. All one piece. 55^c	Table Damask Highly mercerized, soft finish Table Damask, the good wearing kind. 29^c yd	Hemmed Napkins Highly mercerized napkins, hemmed and ready for use. 78^c dz	Dress Shields Kiehlner's Juno Dress Shields, in sizes 3 and 4. Reg. 25c. 10^c	Ladies' Neckwear Organdy Vests, Collars and Cuffs, Sets, Pique Col. Lingerie, Chemises, Reg. 50c to \$2.50. 1 1/2 Price	Turkish Towels Full bleach, heavy, absorbent Turkish Bath Towels. Special. 10^c ea
Embroid'd Voiles 36 and 40 inches wide. Reg. 50c to 75c values. Specially priced at 25^c yd	Sport Stripes A new line just received in the darling awning stripes on white grounds. 29^c yd	An 85c Value For 49c A fine long handled Bath Brush; regular 75c, and a Cake of Colgate's Bath Soap, regular 10c, will be sold on Wednesday for the extraordinary low sale price of 49c for both. Drug Department—Main Floor.		Leather Hand Bags Nicely fitted with purse and mirror. Reg. \$1.00 49^c	Camping Cots Folding Wooden Cots with wire springs. Extraordinary value for \$1.79
Percal Aprons With or without bibs, in light or dark colors. Exceptional for 12 1/2^c	Silk Bodices Without sleeves; back and front beautifully trimmed. Bargain week 59^c	Gray Enameled Steelware 3 For 47c 1-qt. Sauce Pans 2-qt. Sauce Pans 3-qt. Sauce Pans Household Department—Third Floor.		Ladies' Gowns Of crepe and nainsook, beautifully trimmed; values to 98c. Bargain week 55^c	Lingerie Petticoats With deep flounce of embroidery or lace. Values to \$1.50 98^c

Wednesday Is "Baby Day" at Kahn's

Hemming Free on Baby Day

15c White Outing Flannel; extra heavy and will wear and wear; for nightgowns.

50c White Wool Flannel; the soft wool baby flannel for underwear, etc.

\$1.10 YD.—White Double-Face Eiderdown Flannel for baby coats.

\$1.00 YD.—Stockinet Sheeting, the absorbent acid-proof sheeting; 36 inches wide.

85c YD.—White Embroidered Flannel; big value in fine white wool embroidered flannels in hemstitched and scalloped ends; neat patterns.

60c YD.—36-inch Rubber Sheeting, acid and water proof; for crib or buggy.

85c YD.—32-inch Nursery Poddling, quilted; for crib or buggy.

\$1.00 YD.—36-inch Stork Sheeting; extra heavy and acid proof.

\$1.00 EA.—Baby Pillows; down filled; saten covered; pink, blue or cream, solid colors.

60c EA.—Baby Pillows; 14x 15; sanitary feather filled; blue and white stripe ticking.

39c PR.—White Blankets; heavy, fleecy and warm.

69c EA.—Nursery Blankets—colored grounds with white nursery figures; size 36x50.

\$1.25 PR.—White Blankets; fleecy and warm; extra fine for crib or buggy.

12 1/2c YD.—Bleach Cotton Flannel; heavy, fleecy, good wearing kind; for nightgowns, etc.

49c Infants' Flannellette Gowns of good material with embroidered yokes and small stitching of pink and blue; reg. value 60c.

39c Infants' Boutees of fine yarn in pink and blue; reg. value 50c.

29c Infants' Waterproof Nursery Aprons with Mother Goose rhymes; reg. 35c value.

89c Infants' long and short Nainsook Dresses with embroidery and lace yokes; reg. \$1.25.

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This Baby Walker, made of maple, in cherry finish, with tray and equipped with steel casters, seat suspended by strong leather straps, special for Wednesday.

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Toy Dept., 3rd Floor.

43c Infants' lightweight, waterproof Diapers; value 60c.

39c Infants' pique Bonnets and Hats in plain white, also pink and blue; reg. 50c value.

17c Infants' striped flannellette Gowns in pink and blue; reg. 25c.

"Palmetta," the Scientific Palmist, Will Read Your Hand for 50c

She gives you character analysis, capabilities and indications for health, wealth and happiness as shown by the lines of your hand. THE PROCEEDS ARE TO BE GIVEN TO THE WEST OAKLAND HOME.

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Butter, 2 lbs 60c COFFEE—Very select; reg. 25c—Special, 1b.19c PRUNES—Extra large—3 lbs.60c SPICES—All 10c tins—3 tins.25c JAR RUBBERS—Reg. 10c—3 pks.25c OLEOMARGERINE—2 lb. Sq. 45c BAKING SODA—Schilling's—Reg. 10c. Special, pkg.7c SARDINES—Boneless Yacht Club; large, 3 tins1.00 EDUCATOR CRACKERS—Large tin40c	PURE EXTRACTS—Sauer's—Reg. 25c—2 bts.45c ACROSON FLY PAPER—4 pk. 25c HOT CAKE FLOUR—Hercules—Reg. 15c. Special12c BARTLET LIME WATER—3 bts.50c ROSE'S LIME JUICE—35c SCHWARTZ'S GINGERALE—Dozen Bots.95c TOILET SOAP—Mildady—2 pks.25c DRIED LOGANBERRIES—2 pks.35c MACCARONI or SPAGHETTI—4 lbs.25c	CATSUP—Van Camp's or Wellman's—Reg. 25c—bot. 19c GERHARDT'S CHILI MEAT—For Sandwiches, etc., 5 tins70c JAMS and JELLIES—Wellman's—Reg. 25c—2 Jars35c Del Monte Tumblers—2 for25c TEA—All \$1.00 Varieties, 1b.81c SODA CRACKERS—A. B. C. Large tin95c (35c Refunded for Empty Tin.) Enjoy a Cup of Ridgeway's Tea at the Demonstration Booth.	Eggs, pr doz 27 1/2c ORANGE—Large Fancy Navels—Sweet and juicy, 50 to 1/2 box\$1.20 or 35c doz. GRAPEFRUIT—Sunlight, thin rim and large, 1/2 box25c PINEAPPLES—Extra Large—Each25c NEW POTATOES—Red Early Rose 7 1/2 lbs.25c GREEN POLE BEANS—1 lb.25c ONIONS—Large Red—7 lbs.25c SUMMER SQUASH—1 lb.25c LOS ANGELES LETTUCE—Large—2 for5c
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President City and County Taxpayers' League.

DOG PROVIDES TAX MONEY.
WINSTED, Conn., May 23.—A dog owned by Arthur Andrews of Simsbury strayed from home and returned accompanied by two small pigs. As the dog tax is \$1.25, the dog is worth \$1.25.

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Seven Nurses Given East Bay Diplomas

Diplomas were granted to seven nurses at the graduation exercises of this year's class of the East Bay Sanatorium and Training School for Nurses last night at 8 o'clock in the hall of the institution.

During the exercises, which were attended by several hundred persons, Dr. Lemuel Adams spoke on the calling of the nurse, emphasizing the nobility of such a career in its ideal purpose. "An efficient trained nurse," he remarked, "is the doctor's best aid and is often more essential than medicine." Diplomas were presented to the following nurses by Dr. Adams: Frances Porter, Gertrude Tynan, Rosa Edna Rodgers, Ruby M. Anstey, Margaret Reynolds, Elsie A. Klittenberg and Ethel E. Sweeney.

After the exercises an entertainment and dance concluded the affair.

Mine Profit Tax Is Favored in Petition

HELENA, Mont., May 23.—Promoters of a measure, introduced in the Montana legislature, to submit at the election next November an initiative law levying a tax of 6 per cent on mine profits, are circulating petitions throughout the state for signature by voters. It is said a thousand petitions are out. W. B. Sands, a Chinook attorney, was in Helena today in the interest of the movement.

EXPECT THROG AT MOUNTAIN PLAY

College Men to Camp in Slope;
Many Clubs to Be Present.

Members of the Mountain Play Association expect a record attendance at the production of the fourth annual mountain play, which will be staged in the Mountain Theater on Mount Tamalpais 3 p. m. next Sunday. Remarkable success of the former performances and selection of the great Swiss masterpiece, "William Tell," portend the attendance of a record-breaking crowd.

Added interest is evidenced among the many clubs and organizations which are making plans to attend the coming production in bodies. According to a recent canvass of the Sierra Club, 600 members of this organization will attend. It is planned to leave San Francisco at 10 a. m. next Sunday and upon arriving at Mill Valley hike up the mountain to the theater. The California Grays, Conservation Club and others have taken steps to the end that they be well represented.

Harvey L. Hanson, connected with the University of California and member of the Mountain Play Association, asserts that upwards of 500 students of the university will camp on the mountain the night preceding the performance and enjoy "William Tell" the following afternoon. By actual count 360 students represented the university at the 1915 production when 6000 people ascended Mount Tamalpais in a soaking rain, which continued throughout the production of "Rip Van Winkle."

It is interesting to note that, without doubt, the Mountain Theater is the most scenic natural amphitheater in the world. Elevating a person standing at any point of the arena controls a panoramic view of the homes of 750,000 people with a larger part of the bay district spread out before the eye.

Women Delegates at Santa Ana Convention

Delegates from the east bay cities left last night for Santa Ana, where they will represent the local mothers' clubs and parent-teacher associations at the annual convention of the California Congress of Mothers. With the Berkeley Federation went a large pennant inscribed "We Built for Tomorrow."

Mrs. C. J. Wilson, president of the Oakland Federation for the past two years; Mrs. A. L. Whitman, president of the Second district of Oakland; Mrs. George Barnett Bird, state parliamentarian; Mrs. C. B. Hiers of the Durant Mothers' club; and Mrs. W. A. Hargreaves, president of the McKinley Mothers' Congress, were among the delegates.

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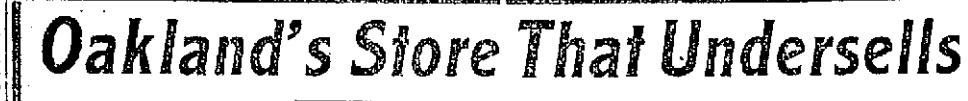
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The scalp is fresh and clean, white, the hair dries quickly and evenly, developing a bright luster and a soft fluffiness that makes it seem very heavy.—Advertisement.

BOXING BASEBALL TRACK TRIBUNE'S DOUBLE PAGE OF SPORTS TENNIS BILLIARDS GOLF GOSSIP

No Truth in Rumor of Rowdy's Deposition Four New Players Expected to Get Club Going Again

The next two weeks will probably see an important shakeup in the Oaks, according to a source who has been in the clubhouse since the club's inception. The source, who has been in the clubhouse since the club's inception, says that the club is not in a position to give Oakland a winning ball team this year, and feels that it will now have to get it done by the end of the season. The source says that the club is not in a position to give Oakland a winning ball team this year, and feels that it will now have to get it done by the end of the season.

VETERAN BOWLER CLAIMS HONORS IN TRIBUNE TOURNAMENT

R. Scraba Hangs Up High Mark in Opening Round of Diamond Play.

Play was resumed last night on the Diamond bowling tournament. No very large scores were bowled, but the scores were close and the crowd was enthusiastic. The tournament is being held at the Diamond bowling alley.

WHY NOT A "DAY" FOR OUR "REUBEN"



L. O. "RUBE" GARDNER.

The Oaks slump and slide and start and stop, but Lancelotti "Rube" Gardner goes steadily on his way, hitting day in and day out, and giving the club always the best that is in him. Of all the players, Messers, Cook and Leavitt secured Gardner as the only one who has always given satisfaction.

COAST TRACKERS TRY OUT SPIKES AT OLD HARVARD

Murray of Stanford Attracts Comment by His Hurdling Form.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 23.—Pacific Coast stars tried out their paces in Harvard stadium today, setting ready for the track and field meet Friday and Saturday of the Intercollegiate association of amateur athletes of America. Every big college in the east has teams entered and much interest is centered in the men who have come 8000 miles from the western edge of the continent to compete.

New Players and Oak Boosters Plan Rally Big Midsummer Ball Plans May Pull Team From Slump

Plans are about complete for a big summer baseball ball to be given at the Oakland Auditorium on the night of June 1. In conjunction with the new players that are coming this week from the East, the boosters' committee hopes that the big get together will serve the purpose of pulling the Oakland team out of their slump and start them on their way toward the top. The funds raised by the big dance will go with the tentative fund of \$3000 already subscribed by business men as a prize to put up for the Oaks that are fighting for the city of Oakland in the pennant race, and in case a good team does not come through this year's team does not come through the big summer fund for the Coast League championship.



Eric Smith.

The first open swimming competition of importance that the Piedmont Athletic Club's swimmers have entered, occurred at San Rafael in connection with the Marin County Flower Festival. The showing of the local team against the Olympic Club team was gratifying to the club members, since the team won the meet but the Piedmonters gave them a real tussle for first place in the scoring.

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Club	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	12	11	.522
Philadelphia	11	11	.500
Boston	10	12	.455
New York	10	12	.455
Chicago	9	13	.409
Cincinnati	9	13	.409
St. Louis	8	14	.364
Pittsburgh	7	15	.318

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San Diego	8	14	.364
San Jose	7	15	.318
San Antonio	6	16	.273
San Marcos	5	17	.227
San Luis	4	18	.182
San Juan	3	19	.136

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

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Vernon	10	12	.455
San Francisco	9	13	.409
San Diego	8	14	.364
San Jose	7	15	.318
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JACK DALTON REFUSES TO JOIN SEALS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Curses on you, Jack Dalton! This is what Manager Wolverton of the Oakland Athletics said today after the pitcher refused to join the team. Dalton, who has been with the team since 1964, has been a key player for the Athletics.

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HOPE MEETS BREWSTER TONIGHT

LOS ANGELES, May 23.—Eight fans here are primed today for one of the fastest four round bouts of the season when Eddie Brewster, undefeated Seattle lightweight, meets Willie Hope, San Francisco veteran, at Vernon tonight.

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VALLEJO BEATS CONCORD

VALLEJO, May 23.—The Angels Sperry team of this city, with Harry Killip in the box, defeated the Concord nine of Contra Costa county here Sunday by a score of 2-1. The two teams will meet again in Concord next Sunday.

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AT AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

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WESTERN LEAGUE

WESTERN LEAGUE. At Lincoln—Lincoln-St. Joseph 6, Lincoln 0. At St. Paul—St. Paul-Tyler 1, St. Paul 0. At Des Moines—Des Moines 4, Wichita 2.

ALAMEDA 5, NEW ERAS 1

ALAMEDA, May 23.—Fred Krumb's Diamond Dummies checked the onward march of the New Eras at Alameda park Sunday. The game was a spirited affair, despite the one-sided 5-1 score. It was good baseball weather and both teams were full of pep and ginger. Krumb is developing his team rapidly after getting away to a rather unfavorable start early in the season and he expects the team to play championship ball from now on.

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR: Where is Outfielder Rich Clements, formerly with the Oakland Athletics, who was traded to the St. Louis Cardinals? He is in with Richmond in International League.

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HERITAGE OF WAR.

So many miracles of finance have been worked since the war started that perhaps it is not profitable to dwell long upon tables of incomprehensible figures about the debts of belligerents. But discounting the new methods and resources for meeting financial burdens that appear to have been developed within the last eighteen months, and approaching the subject in the light of our knowledge and experience before the war, it may be interesting to contemplate the certain financial legacies of the conflict. It seems almost impossible that they can be accepted and borne by the peoples of the warring nations. The New York Journal of Commerce has made an analysis of the war debt question, from which we quote briefly:

On the combined debts of the German Empire and States, France, Russia and Great Britain alone, there will have accrued by August 1 a debt charge of \$2,655,000,000 annually. If account be taken of Italy and the minor belligerents, the sum of this yearly burden would have to be raised to at least \$2,750,000,000. The pre-war debt of Great Britain amounted to \$3,250,000,000; on the 31st of March last it was \$10,700,000,000, and by the first of August it will be \$13,500,000,000. The pre-war debt of the German Empire was \$1,250,000,000, and that of the German States \$3,750,000,000. By the first of August the Imperial debt will be \$12,250,000,000, and, allowing nothing for the increase of the debts of the constituent States, the total to be reckoned with on that date will be \$16,000,000,000. The British debt will involve an annual charge of \$550,000,000, and that of the German Empire and States of \$762,000,000. The national debt of France by August 1 will aggregate \$14,600,000,000, with an annual charge of \$625,000,000, and that of Russia \$15,000,000,000, with an annual charge of \$725,000,000. The British are calmly facing the possibility of there being piled up by March 31, 1917, a national debt of \$17,000,000,000, of which, however, \$4,000,000,000 will represent advances to Allies and Dominions, and be therefore subject to repayment. Allowing for a very substantial sinking fund, the British debt charge for the current year has been estimated at \$725,000,000.

"The Economist" quotes from the bulletin of a Danish society founded for the study of the social consequences of the war. The capitalized value placed upon all the factories, houses, land and other property in Germany is \$75,000,000,000, exactly the same sum being entered for the United Kingdom. Considering that by August 1 the combined debt of the German Empire and the States will have reached a total of \$16,000,000,000, the extent to which Germany has mortgaged the property of her citizens becomes sufficiently apparent. The German debt charge before the war was only \$42,500,000; after the war, the newly created debt alone will require a provision of \$570,000,000, and it will be surprising if in the first few years of peace the additional charges for pensions and compensations do not double the annual expenditure of the Empire before the war.

The case of Austria-Hungary is similar. The annual budgets of the dual monarchy amounted to \$1,100,000,000 before the war, while the total income of the population was estimated at only \$3,125,000,000, and the capital wealth at \$26,500,000,000. Before the war, France had the before the war, and it has already doubled, with the expectation that it will reach \$9,000,000,000 by August 1. In two years of war the interest charge will have risen from \$160,000,000 to \$500,000,000. Before the war, France had the largest public debt in the world, and it has already doubled; Russia's debt came next and it will have trebled by August.

Expert knowledge of finance and economics is not necessary to a realization that with meeting the national debt charges and repairing the waste of war humanity in Europe will be taxed to the uttermost limit. There is some doubt as to whether humanity will be equal to discharging both tasks, and if it is not, which one will suffer? Experience warns us that it probably will be repairs which will suffer, but it would be a brave moralist who would say that it would

not better be that payment of debt charges wait awhile.

OREGON'S CHANCE FOR FAME.

Comments in Eastern newspapers hold up the prospect of the State of Oregon becoming famous in the political history of the United States. It is looked upon by some of the political prophets of the East as having had much to do with making a President, a contingency which depends, it should be stated, upon the correctness of the forecasts of these same prophets as to who will be the next President.

At the primaries last Friday Oregon Republicans surprised the whole country by their overwhelming verdict in favor of the nomination of Justice Hughes. With an unusually large vote cast (for a primary) Justice Hughes polled a handsome majority over the combined vote of his two opponents. These opponents were well-known; one was Senator Cummins of Iowa, the other former Senator Burton of Ohio. Both had made an active personal campaign in the State. Mr. Hughes had made no campaign, but on the contrary had demanded that his name be not placed on the ballot.

It was the first instance in which voters were permitted directly to express their sentiment regarding Mr. Hughes' candidacy, and the popularity of the New Yorker has surprised even the most ardent Hughes' admirers. The Oregon primary is therefore a much-talked-about event among national political sharks.

If Mr. Hughes should be nominated Oregon would have the unique distinction, due to a freak of the primary law, of being the only State that gave an official expression on his candidacy prior to the national convention.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS.

The death of three boys in a motor car accident in Redwood City Sunday has resulted in an agitation to abolish dangerous crossings along automobile routes. There are many dangerous crossings in California, and in every other State, and in most of them, the dangerous element could be removed at a negligible cost. It should be done.

But it is next to impossible to make a road or railway crossing fool-proof. Regrettable as it is, the accident which resulted in the death of the three Columbia Park boys is only one of a tragic series of such accidents, with which we have been harassed every Monday morning for several years. Until the speed mania is cured and racing on public highways is stopped, and until motorists get the "stop, look and listen" habit, better crossings will not abolish accidents.

However, wherever it is possible to make a crossing safer than it is at present, State and county authorities and the railways should cooperate to bring it about. We must protect people against their own folly to as great an extent as possible.

William Jennings Bryan will not go to the National Democratic Convention as a delegate. He will have no voice in the deliberations of that body. It is permissible to reflect upon what might have happened if such a state of things had prevailed at Baltimore four years ago. Bryan dominated the situation then. After having been pledged for Champ Clark he was the chief factor in defeating the aspirant from Missouri. This will be the first Democratic national convention in twenty years in which Bryan was not the most important figurehead, excepting the one which nominated Alton B. Parker. And in that year the forces that shut Bryan out were able to see what happened. Though Bryan will not figure as a delegate he will doubtless be a factor at St. Louis and there is much speculation among the Democratic hosts, where the sores inflicted four years ago are still felt—and this applies particularly to the California Bourbons—as to just how he will figure and to what extent. Of course, there will be nothing to the convention but Wilson, but there will be many talking parts for the leaders, past and present, and Bryan is known to be capable of making even a talking part interesting.

Mr. Paul M. Warburg, member of the Federal Reserve Board, states that since the war started we have bought back American securities held in Europe to the amount of a billion dollars, have loaned to foreign governments more than one billion dollars, have imported more than five hundred million dollars in gold and accumulated a trade balance between the beginning of the war and January, 1916, of \$2,500,000. These are big developments in an incredibly short time, and mean the transformation of the United States from a debtor nation to a creditor nation.

President Wilson has stated that he was opposed to any rural credit legislation that provided for direct Federal aid to the farmers. The farm-loan bill, which has been passed by both houses of Congress and is now being considered in conference, does not contemplate "direct" Federal aid but it provides for numerous ways of extending Federal aid indirectly. Will Mr. Wilson consider that his objection was only technical and, closing his eyes to the spirit of the law, affix his signature to it?

President Wilson stated publicly the other day that he sometimes found it necessary to knock a man down in order to exact his respect. This method of procedure is entirely different from that foreshadowed by the "too proud to fight" policy.

NOTES and COMMENT

The Progressives are going to nominate T. R. without a doubt. The question is, how much ice is it going to cut?

This is about the first time the Presidency ever went seeking a candidate—referring to the palpable desire in many directions for Justice Hughes to take it.

An Iowa doctor holds that mounting high car steps tends to misplacement of the "innominate bone." A fellow can't do anything without getting in wrong nowadays.

There being no widespread and wicked conspiracy against Slaughter, his martyr attitude as he goes over to San Quentin is not effective. He has had a good run for his money.

Elevated ways for rubber-tired vehicles in congested streets seem entirely reasonable. In this connection Market street in San Francisco comes instantly to mind, as well as Broadway, in this city.

The Berkeley founding was named Teddy, not in a manner suggestive or for a reason prophetic, nor because it is the familiar moniker of a certain person who is eminent politically and dentally, but just because.

Colonel Roosevelt, upon his return home from Detroit, informed the expectant newspapermen that he had nothing to say. Which causes conjecture, if not alarm. It is the first time he has suffered that way.

Governor Majors of Missouri aspires to be the running mate of Wilson. Which serves to remind that he who is now galloping along in that position isn't being discussed very much in connection with another term.

Putting the clocks back to economize time seems childish to us who do not have an emergency; but it really doesn't hurt anybody. If it is an advantage to somebody we can afford to let it go without ridicule.

The Berkeley girl who, "just as a joke," dropped a note out of a car window to the effect that she was being kidnapped, has such an imperfect idea of humor that something might properly be done to correct it.

The proposal to build a bridge across the bay is being discussed. Discussion must always precede action—at least much considerable action as bridging San Francisco bay. It will take much discussion, and then prodigious action.

The Jackson recall has mostly been of a serious cast to all concerned, but that it is capable of lighter things is shown by the certificate of Julius Caesar, verified by Cicero, and dated March 26, B. C., the address of the signor being 23 Appian Way. If this wasn't a dig in somebody's ribs, it had some of the elements of a Roman punch.

THE WATER POWER BILL.

That the National Conservation Congress should have endorsed the Shields bill by a vote of 116 to 39 is a severe blow to Pinchot, Garfield, and other extreme conservationists. There was no division upon principles, but merely upon the interpretation of the Shields measure. The majority of the Conservation Congress plainly thought that its provisions could be accepted literally and in good faith. It meant what it said in giving the Government the right to take over private water-power plants on navigable streams at the end of fifty years at actual valuation. But ex-Secretary of the Interior Garfield was certain that the bill "turns over to private monopoly public power in perpetuity. The fifty years' limitation as proposed is nothing more than a mere fiction." The minority resolution held that power sites should not be disposed of in perpetuity, but retained in Federal control. The majority made much of the fact that the Senate, after careful debate, had not seen in the bill the "mere fiction" of which Garfield spoke; and an even weightier consideration is that Secretary Lane has not done so. Upon details of the measures there may be disagreement, but its guarantee of a fifty years' tenure seems necessary to invite capital into a risky field.—The Nation.

THE SILENT AND THE VOCAL.

Mr. Justice Hughes' conduct since his name was put in the running by others has been unexceptionally correct in every particular. He has not lifted a finger or stirred a fiber of his larynx to attract to himself the nomination. His demeanor under the circumstances has been a model of that which the Empire bench should display when politics is mentioned.

Unlike Colonel Roosevelt, does he privately desire it? Who can read the innermost secrets of the complex human heart?

Like Colonel Roosevelt, would he take it? Who at this time has the right to say Yes or No?—New York Sun.

ROOSEVELT AND THE TAILORS.

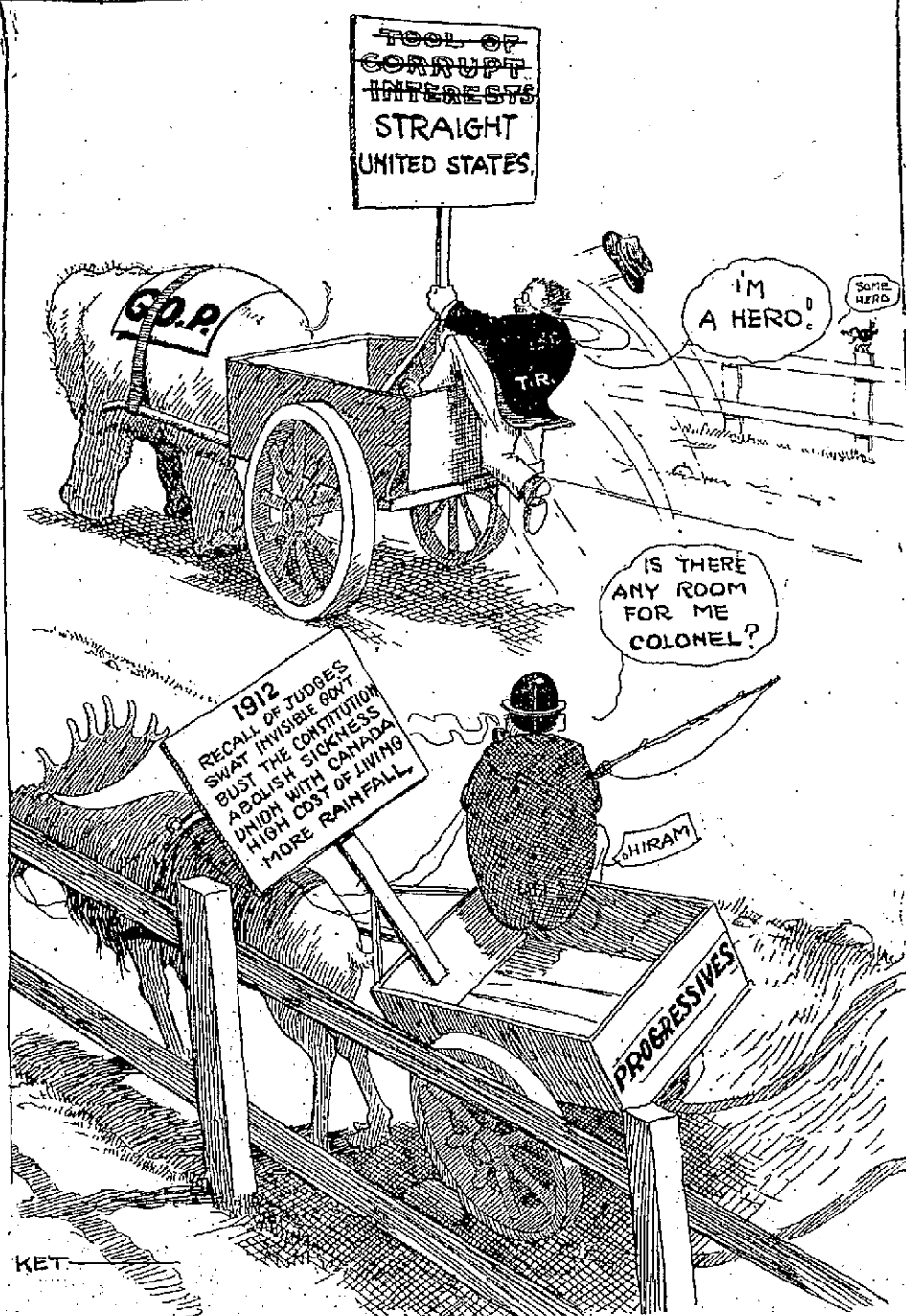
Mr. Roosevelt may be edging up toward open candidacy, but he has not taken the final plunge. He likes to hear himself talked of and he likes to talk himself. To these ends he does not hesitate to use the Roosevelt Non-Partisan League, although at the bottom of his heart he knows it is nothing more than a handful of Tooley-street tailors. Mr. Roosevelt is willing enough to exchange compliments with denizens of Tooley street or with tailors of any street, but until he is able to convince himself that "the people" are for him he will not say the deciding word.

Just now—and Mr. Roosevelt well knows it—the people are for Hughes.—New York Herald.

WORTH MORE TO THE ARMY.

Criticism of General Leonard Wood for remaining in the army now that his name is being mentioned for the presidency is pretty far fetched. In the first place General Wood is not an avowed candidate for the Republican nomination and never has been. He would probably accept if he should be selected, but the chances that he will be are very remote. His present business is with the army and it is proper that he should remain there until there is a great deal stronger evidence than there has been so far that he will be called to another field.—Portland, Me., Press.

CHANGING CARTS



THE NEW LAND BANKS.

The land bank feature of the rural credits bill, which has been passed by both Houses of Congress, provoked strong opposition, and the resolution of Representative Oliver to strike out section 18 of the bill, which embodies the land bank feature, was defeated by a narrow margin. As the section now stands as passed to the joint conference, it reads as follows:

"That corporations, to be known as joint stock land banks, for carrying on the business of lending on farm mortgages security and issuing farm loans, may be formed by any number of natural persons, not less than ten. They shall be organized subject to the requirement and under the conditions set forth in section 5 of this act, so far as the same may be applicable. Provided that the board of directors of every joint stock land bank shall consist of not less than five members."

"Shareholders of every joint stock land bank organized under this act shall be held individually responsible, equally and ratably, and not one for another, for all contracts, debts and engagements of such bank to the extent of the amount of

THE SHAVETERIA.

Chicago's iconoclasm is appalling. Not content with wiping Shakespeare off the literary map, the Windy City has set out to eliminate the barber from a clean-shaven world, to cast into the discard what is perhaps the oldest of all professional vocations. By dropping a dime into a slot an unshaven Chicagoan can now find himself provided with all the utensils necessary for a shave, and, acting as his own barber, is freed from the tugging obligation or the necessity to await the too often delayed call of "Next!" Shaveterias, small rooms in public buildings, are multiplying in Chicago to the end that for a small sum of money every unshaven citizen may repair the brute ravages on his face if he possesses ten cents and a modicum of initiative.

Of course, no novelty, even if it originates in Chicago, is an unmitigated blessing. The advantages of the shaveteria lie in its saving of money and time, but its general use, driving barbers into other occupations, would result in at least one appreciable deprivation to the public. It is widely asserted and believed that conversation has become a lost art in this busy modern world of ours. The barber, alone of all classes of men, has consistently and even courageously endeavored to save from complete extinction the ingratiating technique of unimportant chatter. To the tired business man the airy preface of his favorite barber had not infrequently been as restful and soothing as a moving picture show or a musical comedy.

If the shaveteria eliminates the barber shop, those tactful references to the weather; those light, humorous comments on current events, those gentle, half-disguised flatteries that combine to make the ministrations of an experienced barber pleasing to his patrons, will become but tender memories of a past that the infernal progressiveness of Chicago has thrown behind us forever.—New York Sun.

SIGNS OF THE OGRE.

What is this we hear? An employee of the Congressional Library is dismissed for a disrespectful remark about some picture of President Wilson's. With a Pacific coast citizen and for a disrespectful remark about a dead President and a District of Columbia citizen losing his job for disrespectful comment upon a living President, the German institution of leas majeste is making rather rapid headway in this free land.—Nebraska State Journal.

WIFELY TACT.

Because of his publicity And the things that he had done, There came a crowd of camera men To spy upon the sun.

They found the dark spots in his life And spoke of how they came; And called his children and his wife Familiarly by name.

They watched his ways, described his days, And spoke about his "limb"; They called him old, and that foretold What would become of him.

The sun all helpless stood at bay And blazed in burning wrath; There was not the remotest way To sweep them from his path.

When lo, to screen him from their eyes In his exalted place, The moon sallied softly through the skies Between them and his face! —M. E. Buehler—in the N. Y. Sun.

ARE WE SLAVES OF CLOCKS?

Now it is proposed to follow in this country the example already set by several of Europe's warring nations, and to put all our clocks, for the summer months, an hour ahead of "standard" time.

The idea is not such a bad one—it even has the merit of promising with plausibility certain advantages the reality of which most people with more or less sincerity would admit. Unlike so many of the folk across the water, we have no particular reason for the saving of electricity, gas and kerosene that would result from the change, but, so far as it would make us get up and go to bed earlier, and do more of our working and playing by daylight, it is probably to be commended. Opinions differ, however, as to how far that would be.

It is yet to be proved that a return to, or toward, the hours kept by hens and savages confers any ponderable benefits

on people in reality or pretense civilized. Nocturnal animals are not a bit less healthy than those whose activities are conducted in the sunshine, and the extent to which any nation uses artificial illumination is a fairly accurate measure of its advancement.

With our clocks as they are, such of us as have a passion for seeing sunrise can gratify it without breaking any law or even offending the proprieties. Thereby, on the contrary, a mysterious merit can be acquired in one's own eyes and in those of his neighbors.

An Intelligent Bostonian suggests that the really popular thing to do would be to have the clocks an hour slow in the earlier morning, and an hour, or perhaps two hours, fast in the afternoon. That would indeed suit almost everybody except the members of the salary and wage paying class, and who are they to have a word to say about anything?—New York Times.

THE JESTER.

A Literal-Minded Maid. The favored suitor rang the door bell. "Is Miss Blank at home?" he inquired. "Oh, yes sir," replied the maid, and she ushered him into the drawing room.

Having waited for almost an hour, he summoned the maid again. "Did you forget to tell Miss Blank that I was here?" he asked impatiently.

"No, sir," was the reply. "Miss Blank hasn't got back from shopping yet."

"But you said she was at home."

"Yes, sir. She told me positively that she was always at home to you, sir."

Boston Transcript.

He Knew.

Diana—Is the man your sister's going to marry rich?

Dick—Not much! Every time mother talks about the wedding, father says, "Poor man!"—London Opinion.

Live and Learn.

"I can't understand this code of ethics."

"What code is that?"

"The one which makes it all right to take a man's last dollar, but a breach of etiquette to take his last cigarette."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

City Wharfinger Rutherford is preparing a statement of the amount of money received at the city wharf from June 1, 1872, to June 1, 1896. He roughly estimates the sum at \$150,000.

Memorial exercises were held yesterday in several of the classes of the Tompkins school.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Gregory, nee Sadie Hardy, are at present in Japan on their wedding tour.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Perkins, accompanied by Mrs. Perkins' mother, Mrs. Quatmen and Miss Mabel Quatmen, have gone to Sacramento where they will attend the marriage of Edgar Sheehan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shinn and Mrs. J. Walter Scott will spend the summer at Willets.

CUTTING OUT THE THRILLS.

One by one the thrills of youth are thrown into the discard. Six hundred cities have dispensed with nearly 6000 fire horses and adopted motor power for fighting apparatus. The gripping thrill of speeding hoofs and the clang of the bell have given way to a horn scream that all but wakes the dead. "More's the pity!"—Omaha, Nea.

\$650,000 MAY BE U. S. GIFT TO OAKLAND

Appropriation Included
in Omnibus Building
Measure

Committee Approves of
Bill by Unanimous
Vote

Oakland will have a new postoffice building, if an omnibus public-building bill is acted upon at this session of Congress, although at the present time immediate action seems unlikely. News reached Postmaster J. J. Rosborough today, that the committee on buildings and grounds of the House had unanimously approved of the bill offered by Congressman J. Arthur Elston, appropriating \$650,000 for a new federal structure. The bill has already been approved by the Treasury Department.

The argument in favor of the bill was made some time ago, before the committee, by Congressman Elston. According to Postmaster J. J. Rosborough, it is probable that the appropriation will mean the building of a million dollar postoffice. "By the time they get to building four or five years," he said, "the appropriation made will not erect a large enough building. We should have a building commensurate to our size, but the present action is a good start."

WORD FROM WASHINGTON.
The news of the committee's action reached Oakland this morning in a wire from W. A. Torrey, secretary of Congressman Elston.

"The committee on public buildings and grounds," reads the message, "in the House has unanimously approved of the bill of Congressman J. Arthur Elston, appropriating \$650,000 for a new federal building in Oakland. The bill has already been favorably recommended by the Treasury Department. The argument in favor of the bill was made by Congressman Elston before the committee some weeks ago. As the matter now stands Oakland will get a new building if any public building bill is reported on this session, or even if it is delayed till next session."

W. A. TORREY, Secretary.
OFFICIALS SHOWN KEEN.
Postmaster Rosborough, at the time he took charge of the office, sent a plea to the postal authorities for a new building, and later entertained high postal and treasury department officials, showing how the work was being done and persuading that the only solution would be a better and larger building.

Authorization to purchase additional land for a building was made some time ago, and the present appropriation, if allowed, will mean a start on actual building plans.

An organized effort on the part of Rosborough was made for the office.

**Babe Eats Ant Paste
Second Time; May Die**

LOS ANGELES, May 23.—Near death for the second time within six months as a result of eating ant paste, Margaret Carson, 2 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carson, was taken to the Receiving Hospital here this morning. Little hope is held for her recovery.

Miss Tribune Plans Round of Fun Bathing, Scenic Railway, Other Joy



Like ice cream soda? MISS TRIBUNE does. Idora has the best in the land, at least she thinks it tastes better after a trip over the Scenic Railway. Here she's seen, having a "smile."

Dainty Mascot Visits Idora Park and Is Imbued With Its Charms

Morning, bathing at the new Idora beach.

Afternoon, scenic railway, Fudge animals, fun on the beach, and more fun in the various concessions about the big park.

Evening, more concessions, waffles and ice cream soda, and anything else there is to eat; scenic railway and all the other joy-devices ad lib.

This is Miss TRIBUNE's program for June 6.

June 6 is TRIBUNE DAY at Idora Park.

This is to be the day when all the bay region is invited to be the TRIBUNE's guests at the big park. It's the big day of joy in the whole year.

MISS TRIBUNE.
Funny name—isn't it?

She represents all the girls in Oakland. She is the personification of the Average Oakland Girl. What she likes all the Oakland girls like. What's fun to her is fun to every girl. And The TRIBUNE wants to show that it is meant for everybody. That's why it chose Miss TRIBUNE, the "most average girl," and named her MISS TRIBUNE. (Her real name's Miss Fields—but that's a secret). It is not what her name is; it is the fact that she is representative of all the girls in Oakland, and all the kiddies, too, and their mamas and papas, that counts.

GETS IDORA PARK HABIT.
So The TRIBUNE delegated her to "sample" the joys of the park and report on what TRIBUNE DAY can be made. She saw everything, and had all the fun there was to be had; and now she has the Idora habit and is going to be at the park all day on TRIBUNE DAY.

Maybe some of the people there can find her. They may know her.

They will have seen her picture several times.

Can you find the "Average Girl" in the park?

"This is going to be the big day of the year!" declares MISS TRIBUNE. "I know! I have seen everything to see in Oakland this year! This is to be the big joy-festival of it all."

FASCINATING THINGS.
"I went out there for The TRIBUNE," just to see if all the girls would like it. What I like pretty nearly every other girl likes. And I got the habit. I go swimming at the wonderful artificial beach all the time now. I ride the Fudge cars and the scenic railway. It's almost a craze with me!

"But TRIBUNE DAY is the big day of them all. Think of it! All the kiddies, and all their parents, all around the bay, are invited. Everything will be free as air—free concessions, free admissions—It's all to be The TRIBUNE's treat!"

"Will I be there?"
"Sure!"
"Will you be there?"
"Sure!"
"Will everybody be there?"
"And the answer is:
"Ab-so-lutely!"

GRAIN THIEF ON PROBATION.
Frank Magin, who stole several sacks of oats and sold them, was today released on probation by Superior Judge Ogden, who ordered that he must repay \$72.50 to the owner of the oats within the five years.

COLLEGIANS ADMITTED TO BAR.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Twenty-one graduates of Stanford University were admitted to practice in the District Court of Appeals today, on motion.

WOMAN SEES FIRE TAKE 2 CHILDREN

Mrs. Mary De Mello Is
Badly Burned and
Prostrated

Mrs. Mary De Mello and her daughter, Mary, are suffering from serious burns received last night in their family attempt to rescue the two children of the De Mello family when the home at 3420 Hellen street, burned to the ground. The mother, in addition to having received severe burns and a fractured arm, is prostrated over the tragedy which robbed her of her two children.

The children were William, 11 years of age, and Sadie, 3. The fire was caused by the boy trying to fill a coal oil lamp while holding a candle beside the can and the lamp to give himself light at his task. There was an explosion and the boy was covered from head to foot in flames.

HEARS SCREAMS.
The boy's screams of agony were heard by his mother, who was in the front part of the house. They ran to him and tried to drag him from the burning kitchen, at the same time attempting to beat out the flames with their bare hands. Both were burned about the hands, arms and shoulders.

They got the boy out into the open, when all three apparently recollected that the 2-year-old girl was sleeping in a crib in the house. Mother and daughter rushed back, and the boy, still writhing in pain, staggered back into the house.

Mrs. De Mello and her daughter were driven back by smoke and flames, the mother being led out by Ernest Wikson, 1401 Thirty-fourth street.

FIND BABE IN CRIB.
William E. Mills, 1563 Thirty-fourth street, found the little girl in her crib, and passed her out through a window to Wikson and Ernest McDougall, 5471 Hannah street. Tony Vierra, another neighbor, also entered the house and made a search for the child. Raymond Drack, a 14-year-old boy, was cut and burned in climbing from a window after he had assisted in the search for the bodies in the home.

Sadie De Mello was rushed, with her mother and elder sister, to the Receiving Hospital in the ambulance. Nothing could be done for the child. She had been suffocated before being carried from the building.

The house was totally destroyed. In the ruins the firemen found the charred body of the boy.

**U. S. to Allow Postmen
to Join Soldier Camp**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Postal employees' strike to attend the military training camp at the Monterey Presidio this year will be paid by the government for fifteen days, and may remain the rest of the course without pay if they wish to take out leaves of absence. This was announced today by Inspector Stephen Morse of the western division, who wrote to Washington asking inspection in the matter of permitting postmen to visit the training camp. The regular vacation regulations of the department apply to the matter, according to the postal authorities.

**Former Officer Gets
Five Years Probation**

"I believe that the probation system is being stretched to the limit in this case," said Superior Judge Ogden today in the case of Henry Grewe, former Emeryville special police officer, who was charged with burglary in connection with his assisting in the theft of chickens in Emeryville two months ago.

"You swore to uphold the peace and dignity of the people when you obtained your star," said the court. "Instead of protecting, you did just the opposite."

Grewe was placed on probation for a period of five years.

**Arrange Alameda
Day at San Diego**

Rossiter Mikel, formerly of this city and now manager of special events at the San Diego Exposition, is here conferring with the special committee in charge of Alameda county day at the southern fair. The date chosen for this even is June 10.

Arrangements for Alameda's day are in the hands of Theodore Geir, Wilbur Walker and Harry G. Williams, who are especially appointed for the work by the county's exposition committee. The special committee will meet tomorrow and at that time will launch their active preparations.

**Baptists Expect to
Close Session Today**

MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—The Northern Baptist convention which has been in session here for the past week expects to complete its work and adjourn tonight. Resolutions pertaining to moral conditions in this country were to be submitted to the convention today.

Consolidation of the missionary work of the American Baptist Publication Society and the American Baptist Home Mission Society was considered by leading Baptists as the most important accomplishment of the present session. The merger ended a controversy of fourteen years.

**San Jose Car Lines
to Be Re-routed**

SAN JOSE, May 23.—The decision of the Southern Railway Commission granting the Southern Pacific a right to re-route its main line through San Jose from the east side of the city to the west side will radically alter the development of the town and has already greatly affected property values.

Preparations are being made today for a re-routing of street car traffic as a result of the change. The new route will shorten the distance between San Francisco and Los Angeles by one mile.

HEROES OF NATION TO BE HONORED

G. A. R. Arranges Details
of Decoration Day
Services

In memory of those who died in the fight for American unity, veterans of the Civil War, assisted by the ladies of the G. A. R. and other patriotic organizations, will hold service at Mountain View and Evergreen cemeteries on the morning and afternoon of May 30. Several numbers have been announced for each memorial and will include addresses by Rev. C. L. Mears of Alameda, Rev. R. C. Dille of Berkeley and Col. W. C. Alburger, past departmental commander of the G. A. R.

The services in Mountain View cemetery will start at 10 o'clock and will open with an address by J. R. Souham, officer of day, followed by reveille. The third event will be the playing of the "Star-Spangled Banner," while the flag is lowered to half mast by the Oakland School Band.

Rev. Elbert R. Dille of Berkeley will give the invocation and Col. W. C. Alburger, acting as president of the day, will deliver a short address. His speech will be followed by a song, "Cover Them Over With Beautiful Flowers," rendered by Miss Alpha Dault and Mrs. Carrie L. Hoyt will give Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address." The service will close with "taps" by one of the Oakland bands. As an extra number, the Ladies of the G. A. R. will perform the "Star-Spangled Banner" as the second number and a M. Brinkerhoff will give the invocation. Rev. C. L. Mears of Alameda is the speaker of the day and will be followed by Miss Alma Brooks, soprano, who will sing the "Star-Spangled Banner."

Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address" will be given by Dr. J. C. Stout and the remainder of the program will be identical with that of the morning.

The Oakland recreation department has made special arrangement for the day and will assist the Ladies of the G. A. R. in their undertaking. The program will be as follows:

**Many Want Seats to
Hear Mrs. Pankhurst**

That Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, celebrated English suffragist, may be heard by many women interested around the bay, the San Francisco Center has announced that reservations for the luncheon to be tendered to her next Thursday may be made by persons who are not members of the center.

Mrs. Pankhurst's address will be on "The Effect of the War on the Women of England" and it will be given in the Palace Hotel ballroom where the luncheon will take place at 12 o'clock. Information regarding the affair may be secured by telephoning Douglas 617, San Francisco. Reservations must be made before 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and if made by mail must be accompanied by check.

**Dry Referendum
Up in B. C. House**

VICTORIA, B. C., May 23.—The prohibition referendum bill, which passed caucus last Tuesday, will come before the house this afternoon. With it will be introduced the bill for the referendum extending the franchise to women as well as several measures which must go through the house before the referendum can legally be taken.

Included in tomorrow's amendments to the election act and other present legislation will be one giving all soldiers the vote. This means the men in England as well as those in the old country and in Canada.

**Hindu Revolution
Leaders Hanged**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—According to information received here today by Ram Chandra, editor of the Hindustan Gazar, four more leading Hindus have been hanged for taking part in a revolutionary outbreak in India. One of them was said to be Amir Chand, headmaster of the American mission and high school at Delhi. One hundred other suspects have been arrested in Calcutta.

**WHAT IS DOING
TOMORROW**

Civil Service Board meets, City Hall.
German Relief Bazaar, Berkeley.
"Mr. Bob" presented by Franklin Barbank School, Berkeley.

Paul A. Sinsheimer speaks before E. Nat Brith, Covenant Hall, 820 p. m.
Macdonough-Dillon and King.
Orpheum-Fritz Scheff, musical comedy and vaudeville.

Pantages-Landers Stevens and Georgia Cooper.
Oakland-Geraldine Farrar and Tyrone Power.

Franklin—"The Children in the House." Idora Park-Inland beach.
Broadway-John Barrymore in "The Red Widow."

Ad Bureau Luncheon, Commercial Club grill.
Good roads, auto and legislative committees of Chamber of Commerce meet, Commercial Club grill.

Board of Directors, Chamber of Commerce, 8 p. m.

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Golden Jubilee Day, Berkeley, smelter and Jinks, Masonic Temple, evening.
Eurydice Club gives concert, Unitarian church auditorium, evening.

May Festival for Children's Day Home, Woodman Hall, all day and evening.
Manufacturers' and New Industry committees of Chamber of Commerce, joint meeting, Commercial Club grill.

Many Voices in Plea for Baby

Women Seek Adoption
of Infant

Every one but the girl-mother of the babe born at the Emergency Hospital Sunday night seems to want the little mite of humanity. Since the story of the mother's desire to relinquish her offspring was told yesterday many persons have telephoned inquiries to the hospital.

"Calls seem to come in by the dozens," said Dr. H. E. Frank today. "All of the inquiries come from women. They want to know all about the baby and one woman wanted us to take it to her home for inspection. Late yesterday afternoon the telephone began to ring. It kept it up all evening and the first thing this morning more calls began coming in."

But the young mother says that she does not want the baby. In her country home there were six brothers and sisters younger than herself and that she was "little mother" to them so much of the time that she grew tired of children.

In another room at the hospital is a woman who craves over a bouquet of faded flowers, fondling it in her arms as she would a child and talking to it in endearing terms.

"Things seem to be twisted around a bit," remarked Dr. Frank.

The mother and babe will be removed to the county infirmary today.

CAUGHT WITH WIRE.
SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—John Luing and George Shelton were arrested for petty larceny this morning when two special officers caught them running away with some copper wire alleged to have been taken from the corner of Post and Jones streets.

INDIGENT SUES FOR PROPERTY

John Teixeira Says That
He Has Been Victim
of Friends

After having signed away his property rights with the stipulation that he would be kept in comfort for the remainder of his life, John Teixeira, 70 years of age and an inmate of the county infirmary, has complained in a suit filed in the Superior Court that J. P. Souza and Oscar and Christine Cardozo of Hayward have not lived up to their agreement. The plaintiff is seeking indemnity for his expenses since October, 1913.

According to the complaint, the Cardozos won the confidence of the aged man at that time and induced him to sign his \$2000 ranch over to Souza, on condition that Souza keep him in comfortable circumstances as long as he lived.

But last November, says Teixeira, Souza deeded the ranch to the Cardozos and they in turn turned him from the property. He asks for \$987 damages for the payment by the defendants of a debt amounting to \$117 and for \$280 for each year since 1913, which amount he estimates were his living expenses.

TAFT & PENNOYER COMPANY

Second Day of the
Sport Silk Sale
\$1.75 Values Special at
\$1.00

There are many yards of these much demanded sport stripes offered at this particularly attractive sale price. One of our Clay Street windows displays them in all their beauty. All the popular and seasonable shades and combinations are to be had. The quality is remarkable and the selection of stripes and colorings superb.

SPECIAL AT \$1.00 THE YARD.
Silk Section—First Floor.

Separate Skirts

This Week a Special Week for Their Display.

The present sport apparel demands separate skirts. We provided for this and our assortment is comprehensive to an extreme. All sorts of materials, patterns and colorings are offered at prices that have been figured as to their selling power.

COTTON SKIRTS are shown in pique, galatee, Bedford cord, gabardine, twill, rep, linen crash, Palm Beach suiting, corduroy and new unclassified materials.

They range in price from **\$1.45 to \$12.50**

WOOL SKIRTS are shown in white serge, black and white checks, flannel, covert, poplin and jersey knit materials.

They range in price from **\$5.00 to \$17.50**

SILK SKIRTS are shown in a number of silky weaves in black and white effects, fancies, stripes, plaids, taffetas and pongees.

They range in price from **\$6.75 to \$22.50**
Silk Section—Second Floor.

Sport Hats

A FINE SHOWING AT REDUCED PRICES.

Sport Hats may be mentioned in connection with our special showing of separate skirts. All the former prices have been reduced and the resultant prices are appealing in the extreme.

SPORT HATS PRICED FROM \$3.50 TO \$15.00
SUN AND BEACH HATS PRICED 50¢ TO \$1.00
LIBERTY AND COMPANY OF LONDON SCARFS AND HAT BANDS PRICED 75¢ TO \$3.00
Millinery Section—Second Floor.

Pyrex Glass

For Baking Purposes

This is a particularly attractive and stylish glassware, coming in a number of useful forms and warranted to stand any amount of baking heat. It will not absorb flavors, cooks fast and allows the process of baking to be seen through the glass. Food can be served hot direct from the dish in which it was cooked.

A clear glass, beautifully engraved, shown as follows:

Casseroles	\$3.00 to \$4.00
Open Dishes	\$2.10
Egg Dishes	\$1.40 and \$1.75
Ramekins	\$4.50 the dozen
Custard Cups	\$5.00 the dozen

China Section—Third Floor.

Household Hints

Two-burner Perfection Blue Flame Oil Stoves	\$10	White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, 1, 2, 3, and 4-qt.	\$1.75 to \$3.25
Gas Ovens	\$1.25 to \$3.50	Garden Gloves	10¢, 15¢ and 25¢ pr.
Galvanized Sprinklers	40¢ to \$1.00	Grass Shears	25¢, 45¢ and 50¢
Japanned Sprinklers	30¢ to 50¢	Lunch Sets for Picnics	.25¢
Alcohol Stoves from	20¢ to \$5.15	Wax Driking Cups, 5¢ pkg.	
Folding Camp Stoves	\$2.50	Hose Nozzles	50¢
Lawn Sprays	40¢	Weeders	10¢ and 15¢
Garden Trowels	10¢ & 25¢	Fly Killers	5¢ and 10¢
		Picnic Plates, 25 in pkg.	10¢

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BOYS' TAN AND ELK SCOUT SHOES
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95c
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GIRLS' WHITE DUCK MARY JANE PUMPS
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11½ to 2 \$1.75
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DEGREES GRANTED IN BEAN ACREAGE IN AT SANTA CLARA GREAT DEMAND

Senior Class This Year at High Prices to Cause Growers to Utilize Available Land.

SANTA CLARA, May 22.—The examinations at the University of Santa Clara have been completed and the graduating class this year will be the largest in the history of the university. At the commencement exercises, to be held tomorrow afternoon, degrees will be conferred as follows:

Bachelor of Arts—Thomas C. Boone of Modesto, Floyd M. Rothwell of Los Angeles, Adolph R. Canale of San Jose, Emilio O. Cosulich of San Jose, Edward B. Ford of San Jose, James P. Fitzpatrick of Los Angeles, Michael E. Griffith of San Jose, Thomas J. Hordan of Santa Clara, Charles E. Hurd of Fresno, Herbert McDowell of Glenview, Louis T. Murn of Mariposa, Louis S. Sepa of San Jose, William Shipley of San Luis Obispo, Frank A. Wiley of San Jose.

Certificate in Law—Max J. Michael of San Jose; commercial certificate, Basil H. Thoutmire.

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering—Joseph A. Chargin, William J. Christy, Roy P. Emerson, Edward H. McLaughlin and Ignatius P. O'Neill.

Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering—Frank Laine of Santa Clara.

Bachelor of Arts—William S. Cannon of San Francisco, David H. Draper of San Jose, Henry R. Hall, Grady, William Herlihy of San Francisco, Nicholas J. Martin of San Diego, George Nicholas of Alhambra, V. E. Plank of Mantle, E. M. Walsh of Mantle.

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BAUER CALLED IN NAVAL INQUIRY

Mare Island Is Scene of Court-martial Over Warship's Condition.

MARE ISLAND, May 22.—Captain B. W. Bauer of the California State militia, attended at the court-martial yesterday by Lieutenant H. A. Jones, who is acting as counsel for Commander Bauer, in the case of the court-martial of the man-of-war when the ship was in the hands of the court-martial. The court-martial was held at the Mare Island Navy Yard. The court-martial was held at the Mare Island Navy Yard. The court-martial was held at the Mare Island Navy Yard.

Destroyer No. 63 will resemble the court-martial in use by the warship European nations, according to the Mare Island officers, who are laying down the lines for the man-of-war at the local model left this month.

The destroyer Paul Jones was docked at Mare Island today to be refitted. The Paul Jones is due to arrive here either Wednesday or Thursday from the Atlantic Coast with stores for the local station.

Lieutenant F. Gardner of the marine corps, and attached to the cruiser San Diego, flagship of the Pacific fleet, arrived at Mare Island Saturday afternoon to undergo treatment at the station hospital.

WILL CONSTRUCT RENO-TAHOE ROAD

RENO, May 22.—A movement to open a direct route to Lake Tahoe from Reno on a road between Mount Rose and the city is being pushed by the Reno-Tahoe Road Association.

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Man Fatally Hurt in Slide of Rocks. BAKERSFIELD, May 22.—Caught beneath a slide of rock in the county rock quarry near Keene, thirty miles east of here, Wilfred Merrill, aged 22 years, was fatally crushed yesterday morning shortly after 5 o'clock. His left arm was smashed to a pulp and his body sustained many injuries from the falling rock that covered the track of a steam shovel which he was preparing to start into operation. He was taken to St. David, Ariz., and a sister resides at Keene, and another in Los Angeles.

OFFICIAL RECORDS. OAKLAND BUILDING PERMITS. 42-142—H. A. Forrester, C. O. Bradhoff; \$1600.

42-143—L. Pizzola, M. E. Valente; \$2000. 42-144—Perkins Apartments, H. F. Ashland; \$2500.

42-145—Sidney Spring, H. A. Hayes; \$2000. 42-146—M. R. Rickett, H. Hayes; \$2000. 42-147—H. G. Prince, self; \$3500.

42-148—Samuels & Co., Corbett & Bayliss; \$4500. 42-149—William Dryden, W. O. Helms; \$1500. 42-150—L. Kastlinski, self; \$1000.

42-151—L. E. Mark, T. G. Walker; \$2000. 42-152—H. Deane, P. G. Geronzi; \$1500. 42-153—W. Walker, self; alterations; \$1000.

42-154—H. G. Prince, self; alterations; \$1000. 42-155—W. Walker, self; alterations; \$1000. 42-156—W. Walker, self; alterations; \$1000.

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Want Tractors to Use County Roads

VISALIA, May 22.—Over 1000 signatures have been secured to a petition to be presented to the supervisors at the next meeting urging the repeal of the ordinance recently adopted prohibiting tractors to use the county roads, unless the growers are covered with a smooth surface. Advocates of the repeal said that the ordinance works a great hardship upon them, and invariably keeps many owners from coming to this county to do work they would otherwise be called upon to perform during harvest.

Alameda office of THE TRIBUNE is now located at 1422 Park street, near Santa Clara avenue. Phone Alameda 528.

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able time after the adoption of the name of Berkeley by the scholars and teachers of the university. Finally when it became apparent that fate led to the joining of the two parts of the community the dignity and euphony of the name Berkeley won the day, and our city was endowed with a name that has been a valuable asset in the estimation of the people of our state and of the whole world.

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MRS. ALBERT MESSENGER, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA GRADUATE, WHO IS MAKING STEADY INCOME FROM WEDDING GIFT OF A CASE OF EGGS—McCullagh foto

ALAMEDA, May 23. — The city council will meet this evening in adjourned session.

CELEBRATE EMPIRE DAY.
BURLINGTON, Mar. 28. — Members and friends of the Overseas Club will celebrate Empire Day Thursday evening at their clubrooms at 2131 Haste street with an attractive program. A Carnegie Ross, British consul general, will give a brief address. A musical program has been arranged by Miss A. J. Johnston, and a number of songs will be sung. Other numbers of which will be contributed by Miss Amy Holman, Professor Durand and others. A dance will follow.

Islam, is an aid to health of Skin and
daily use; Toilet, Bath, Shampooing.

AM AND POSLAM SOAP

Rehearsals for an elaborate entertainment to be given next Friday evening

nell jumped to the ground. All three were rushed to a Portland hospital on a special train.

The wreck blocked the track and passengers on the Southern Pacific electric trains were taken to Forest Grove and Hillsboro by automobile.

Burglar Loots Home; Another Robs Coops

Fourth and Market streets, and taken to the Emergency hospital suffering

from serious injuries. An investigation is being made.

per \$100 reached and other limitations impressed, Robson continues, not more than \$40,000. If that much, will be available for this purpose per annum during the next ten years. One hundred and

Mrs. Nunes Gives Self Up; in Court Today

Dr. W. P. Miller and wife of Fresno, who were in Berkeley to attend the university commencement exercises, have

returned to their home, being accompanied by Miss Heulah, their daughter, who has been attending school here.

denite, and if necessary, drastic action. Dressing and undressing still continues on the beach and does not elevate or lend dignity to the play-

for me to say other than that they were of so small a nature as to no warrant any worthy consideration. If they did I am sure the members of the recreation commission would have given them credence and have listened and have investigated. These statements pertain to certain irregularities or incompetencies affecting any work as superintendent of recreation. If in the judgment of the mem-

and telephone division. The daughters are Mrs. W. J. Littlefield of Placer county; Mrs. E. J. Silver, wife of the secretary of the Alameda Chamber of

Two Alameda Couples



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BARN FIRES TO BE SUBJECT TO QUIZ

Two Blazes in Moisa Place Are
Causing Police Some
Anxiety.

Following two mysterious fires less than 24 hours apart in a heavily insured barn belonging to Baptista Moisa, 839 Fifty-first avenue, Moisa was placed under arrest by the police pending an investigation of the case. No charge has been placed against the man, and the evidence of wrongdoing is slight.

The first fire was at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. Moisa told the police he saw some one coming out of his barn, and the police discovered that a piece of newspaper had been ignited by some one in the barn, and had been thrown into the manger. The fire was extinguished with but slight damage.

Late yesterday afternoon a second fire occurred in the barn. Suspicious circumstances surrounding the case led to the arrest of Moisa.

Moisa had the barn insured for \$150, hay and grain for \$50, and wine for \$250. The police found that there but little feed in the place and only seven barrels of wine. The police record showed a similar fire a year ago, and that Moisa collected insurance.

New Parish House to Be Built for Church

The erection of the parish house for which the members of St. Paul's Episcopal church have been campaigning will begin very shortly. The building is to adjoin the church at Montecito and Grand avenues, according to the original plan designed by the architect.

Unlike the original plan, however, it is to be a frame structure and later when funds are more ample it will be bricked in to match a stone and brick entrance put up at the time the church was built. The house will be 40 by 75 feet and will be equipped with a stage to be used for entertainments. Vestry meetings, Sunday school classes and other social activities of the church will be held there and it will also be the headquarters of St. Paul's club.

Rev. Alexander Allen, rector of St. Paul's, has supervised the plans for the parish house and among those who have been actively interested in securing funds for it are a number of prominent persons, including Mrs. Vernon Waldron, Mrs. Harry East Miller, Mrs. Fred Allard, Mr. Alexander Allen, Mrs. L. Harrison Clay, Bruce Hayden, Arthur McNamara, Mrs. W. A. Barbour and R. H. Collins are among those who have subscribed toward its erection.

MCGEE TO SPEAK.
William J. McGee, assistant treasurer of the United States, will speak before the League for Home Rule in Taxation in San Francisco tomorrow. McGee has selected as his subject, "The Money of the Country and the Work of the Treasury Department."

Eveless Eden On Boulevard Posse Seeks Nude Man in Foothills

In a little Garden of Eden all his own above the Skyline Boulevard, a new Adam has made his home. No Eve has come to join him—as yet. But so far it would seem that he is not lonesome. He has not sought the companionship of his kind.

The new Adamite has been seen several automobile drivers on the Skyline Boulevard and the Tunnel road, and the police have been notified. Last night a posse invaded Eden and tried to locate the quiet domicile of the belated denizen of Paradise. They saw him flitting nude among the trees and underbrush; but whether he took refuge with the birds in the trees or with the ground squirrels in their holes, has not been ascertained. At any rate, Patrolmen Hodgkins and Shannon, who went in pursuit, failed to capture him.

Captain of Police Frank Lynch and Patrolman Gly made an excursion into Adam's paradise, but could not find the clothesless owner. Captain Lynch set forth his theories with regard to the situation in the police report as follows:

"It may be a case of another Joe Knowles; but if this is the case, the man has not been exposed to the elements for long. He is still pretty white."

"Many persons take the trail through the canyon leading up to the tunnel. It may be that some one goes up there properly clothed and when in the wooded sidehills, sheds his clothes, so as to get the benefit of the beautiful sunshine while gazing on San Francisco bay and the Golden Gate."

Government Wants Scientists for Jobs

The United States civil service commission announces that the examinations listed below will be held in San Francisco at an early date.

Assistant in poisonous plant investigations (male) \$1200-\$1500. Office of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Investigator in marketing seeds (male) \$1200-\$1500. Office of markets and rural organization, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Specialist in stores (male) \$1800-\$2400. Office of market and rural organization, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Specialist in marketing seeds (male) \$2600-\$3500. Office of markets and rural organization, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Deckhand, Angel Island, Cal. \$2400-\$3000. Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, for service in the field.

Salvage superintendent (male) Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va. \$4-\$18 per diem.

Apprentice draftsman and photographer (male) \$600-\$900 per year, Bureau of Mines, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Master mechanic (male) \$144 per diem, forge shop, naval gun factory, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C.

Telephone engineer (male) \$1500 per year, Forest service, Denver, Colorado, and Portland, Oregon.

Assistant physical (qualified in speedometer) male \$1400-\$1500 a year, Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

Superintendent of acid plants (male) \$6 per diem, naval proving ground, Indian Head, Maryland.

Junior chemist in radioactivity (male) \$1200-\$1500 per annum, Bureau of Mines, Denver, Colorado.

Applications blanks and further information relative to these examinations may be obtained from the secretary, Civil Service District, room 241, office building, San Francisco, California.

Fortune Tellers Trap Client Before Judge

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Seers and fortune tellers who urged Mrs. Annie Eisenhoff to secure a divorce and be happy as a single woman, led her to her fall today before Superior Judge Morgan when, on motion of Attorney S. J. Thelgen, denied her a separation from John Eisenhoff.

"If this plaintiff would drop her connection with fortune tellers who forecast the future and tell her she should be a single woman, there would be no discord in the household," announced the attorney for the husband.

Judge Morgan denied the decree. Mrs. Eisenhoff had alleged in her complaint that her husband had failed to take her to places of amusement and had not purchased enough clothes for her.

Ethel Barrymore, one of America's most celebrated dramatic stars, is seen at the Franklin theatre the last half of this week, commencing tomorrow, in her latest photoplay production, "The Kiss of Hate," a sensational Russian drama. This play marks the first appearance of Miss Barrymore in the films this season.

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LABOR SHORTAGE IN NORTH, REPORT

Harvesting Requires Many
Men; Lumbering Also
Needs Help.

OLYMPIA, Wash., May 23.—Edward W. Olson, state labor commissioner, yesterday confirmed a report given out by Federal Immigration Commissioner Henry White of Seattle, to the effect that there will be a serious shortage of labor in the state this summer and fall, more particularly in the fall, when harvesting will require a large number of men in the fields of eastern Washington.

There is a shortage of labor already in the lumbering business, including the lumber mills and logging camps, while in the machinist trades the supply of skilled men is inadequate, according to Commissioner Olson. Common labor is plentiful yet, but he looks for an increased demand in the near future for men of this kind. In the structural trades, too, there are plenty of workers at present, but no more than will be needed to supply the demand later on in the year.

Longshoremen Strike Threatens Coast

SEATTLE, May 23.—Union longshoremen served notice on employers today that every member of their organization from Alaska to San Diego would strike June 1, unless a new schedule of wages is paid. The demands include a raise from 50 cents an hour, the present scale, to 60 cents an hour for lumber handling, and a raise from 75 cents to \$1 an hour for overtime. A ten-cent hourly increase is demanded for handling creosoted lumber. It was decided to ask for increases in wages at the Pacific coast division convention of the International Longshoremen's Association held here two weeks ago.

ATTEMPT TO ARBITRATE.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 23.—An attempt will be made at a meeting Wednesday night to arbitrate the strike in the building trades which began yesterday.

During the afternoon the carpenters, joiners and iron workers on the ten-story terminal building were ordered by their unions to return to work, and most of them complied. The only demonstration approaching violence occurred at quitting time. When the reinstated carpenters, joiners and iron workers approached the entrance that led from the building they were met by fifty or more strikers. Some of the latter were offensive in their language and were arrested.

ANNOUNCE WAGE INCREASE.

TROY, N. Y., May 23.—Clifford Peabody & Co., Inc., Earl & Wilson and George E. Ida & Co., collar and shirt manufacturers, announced yesterday that beginning the week of May 29 wages of piece workers would be increased ten per cent in all the firms' factories in the United States. The increase will affect over 15,000 employees.

SERVICE AVERTED.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 23.—A threatened strike of conductors and workmen of the Little Rock Railway & Electric Company, which had been scheduled for last night, was averted when an agreement was reached between officials of the company and of the Little Rock Central Trades Council. The company was announced today, conceded all demands of the union.

BOILERMAKERS IN SESSION.

CLEVELAND, O., May 23.—The tenth annual convention of the master boilermakers' Association of the Railroads of the United States, Canada and Mexico opened here today.

4000 GARMENT WORKERS QUIT.

BOSTON, May 23.—More than 4000 garment workers employed in 200 shops in this city quit work in an effort to obtain an 8-hour day and wage advance. The walkout, which was ordered by the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, was accomplished without disorder.

Marshal Has Bullet in Ankle 12 Years

KANSAS CITY, May 23.—A bullet shot twelve years ago by Cassius J. Welch, now justice of the peace, has been removed from the ankle of Martin J. Crowe, county marshal. The shot was one of several fired in a political fight between the two at Twelfth street and Grand avenue.

The encounter was in a political campaign in which Welch was working for one faction of the Democratic organization and Crowe was supporting W. T. Kemper, candidate for mayor.

Although the marshal has carried the bullet all these years, he and Welch have been close personal friends for some time.

ENDS SALMON FISHING.

PROSSER, Wash., May 23.—In response to a call from his deputies, State Fish Commissioner Darwin arrived here yesterday to enforce the law against salmon fishing at the Prosser dam, where 100 Indians are encamped. The Indians have been asserting their right to fish, basing it on a telegram from a Washington, D. C., attorney advising the Indians that he was trying to obtain an injunction against the state fish commissioner. After a protracted conference with Commissioner Darwin the Indians agreed to quit fishing until they get permission from Washington.

SUCCESS AT SAN JOSE.

Succeeding beyond their expectation, the workers to increase the membership of the San Jose Young Women's Christian Association brought in 2554 members at \$1 each at the end of their ten days' campaign, just completed. They had originally set out to get 2000, but now intend to make it an even 3000.

On May 12 of this year the association moved into a new \$110,000 building.

Eczema Wash Used in Hospitals

How many hospital patients have been freed of their terrible itch, of the scorching pain of skin disease, by the famous D. D. D. Prescription for eczema, a scorching fluid, washed in by a nurse's hand?

A Supervising Nurse (name of nurse and institute on application), writes regarding a patient: "The disease eaten her eyebrows away. Her nose and lips had become disfigured. Since the use of D. D. D. her eyes are growing, her nose and face have assumed their natural expression."

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Come to us and we will tell you more about this remarkable remedy, 25c, the best bottle tells you. D. D. D. Soap keeps your skin healthy. Ask about it.

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MASKED MAN LOOTS MAIL. SHREVEPORT, La., May 23.—A mail car on a Texas and Pacific rail- way train en route from New Or- leans to Fort Worth was entered by a masked man shortly after 10 o'clock

last night as the train was leaving Grand Cane, a station about twenty miles south of here. The robber, at the point of a pistol, placed empty mail sacks over the heads of the postal clerks, after which he leisurely rifled the registered mail in the car.

The man left the car shortly and the alarm was given at Caneville, the next stop. No trace of the robber had been found up to a late hour last night and nothing could be learned regarding the value of the mail stolen.

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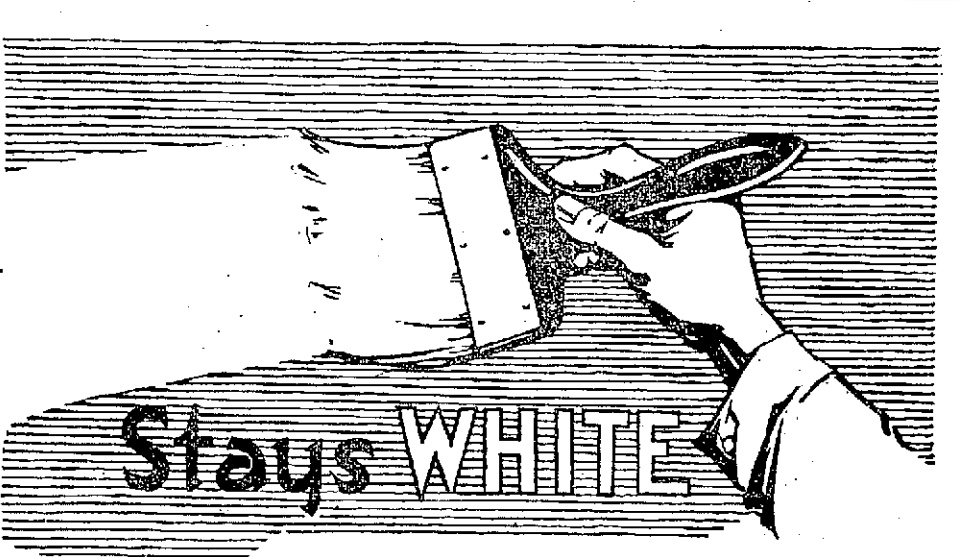
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